POST-ELECTION WES SURVEY

##Section 1: Political Interest & Knowledge

[pi1]{single} How interested, if at all, are you in politics in general?

- <1> Very interested
- <2> Fairly interested
- <3> Not very interested
- <4> Not at all interested
- <5> Don't know

[pi3]{single} And how interested, if at all, were you in the election on May 5th for the National Assembly for Wales?

- <1> Very interested
- <2> Fairly interested
- <3> Not very interested
- <4> Not at all interested
- <5> Don't know

[pi6]{single}And how interested, if at all, are you in the referendum on May 5th on the Alternative Vote?

- <1> Very interested
- <2> Fairly interested
- <3> Not very interested
- <4> Not at all interested
- <5> Don't know

[pi7_new]{multiple}As far as you are aware, which party or parties have had ministers in the Welsh Assembly Government between 2007 and now? (Please tick all that apply)

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> Plaid Cymru
- <5 xor> Don't know

Voting in the National Assembly Election

Many people have told us that they didn't manage to vote in the election for the National Assembly for Wales. How about you – did you manage to vote in the election?

- Yes, I did
- No, I did not

FOR ALL NOT VOTING:

People have many reasons for not voting. Why did you not vote in the election?

- OPEN RESPONSE

IF VOTED:

Thinking back to election day, which of the following best describes how you cast your ballot

- 1. I voted by post
- 2. I visited the polling station on my own
- 3. I visited the polling station with someone else who did NOT vote
- 4. I visited the polling station with another person (or people) who voted

N/A - did not vote

If answer to (previous question) = 4

Was that person or people (if more than one VOTER accompanied you please tick all that apply)

- 1. A member of your family living at the same address
- 2. A member of your family living elsewhere
- 3. Somebody else living at your address
- 3. A friend (not living at your address)
- 4. A neighbour
- 5. Other

ASK ALL:

Which of these statements best describes your attitude towards voting at elections for the National Assembly for Wales?

- I always vote at elections for the National Assembly
- I sometimes vote at elections for the National Assembly
- I never vote at elections for the National Assembly
- I've not been eligible in the past to vote at elections for the National Assembly
- DK

IF VOTED:

In the National Assembly for Wales Election, you had two votes. One was for an individual member of the Assembly – or AM – for your constituency. The second was for a party list for your region.**

[vi6] Which party's candidate did you vote for in your _constituency_?

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> Plaid Cymru
- <5> Some other party

Don't know

Thinking of this constituency vote, which of the following comes closest to the main reason why you voted for this party?

- <1> I always vote this way
- <2> The party has the best policies
- <3> The party has the best leader
- <4> I really prefer another party, but they had no chance of winning in my constituency
- <5> It was a tactical vote
- <6> I really prefer another party, but they were not standing a candidate in my constituency
- <7> Other reasons [vi7o]{open}

[vi8 if vi7 in [4,5,6]]Which party did you really prefer?

- <1 if vi6 !=1> Conservative
- <2 if vi6 !=2> Labour
- <3 if vi6 !=3> Liberal Democrat
- <4 if vi6 !=4> Plaid Cymru
- <5> Some other party

[vi10]Now thinking about your _regional_ vote, for a party list, which party did you vote for?

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> Plaid Cymru
- <5> Green
- <6> UK Independence Party
- <7> British National Party
- <8> Socialist Labour
- <9> Welsh Christian Party
- <10> Communist
- <11> Some other party

Don't know

]Thinking of this regional vote, which of the following comes closest to the main reason why you voted for this party?

- <1> I always vote this way
- <2> The party has the best policies
- <3> The party has the best leader
- <4> I really prefer another party, but they had no chance of winning any party list seats in my region
- <5> It was a tactical vote
- <6> It's my second preference; I voted for my first preference candidate in the constituency
- <7> Other reasons [vi110]{open}

[vi12 if vi11 in [4,5,6]]Which party do you really prefer?

- <1 if vi10 !=1> Conservative
- <2 if vi10 !=2> Labour
- <3 if vi10 !=3> Liberal Democrat
- <4 if vi10 !=4> Plaid Cymru
- <5 if vi10 !=5> Green
- <6 if vi10 !=6> UK Independence Party
- <7 if vi10 !=7> British National Party
- <8 if vi10 !=8> Socialist Labour
- <9 if vi10 !=9> Welsh Christian Partv
- <10 if vi10 !=10> Communist
- <11> Some other party

[vi13]In deciding how to vote in the National Assembly for Wales election, did you decide:

- <1> Mostly according to what is going on in Wales
- <2> Mostly according to what is going on in Britain as a whole
- <3> Both equally
- <4> Other reasons [vi13o]{open}

ASK ALL:

[vi14]Some people say that it makes no difference which party wins in elections, things go on much the same. How much of a difference do you think it makes who wins in elections to the National Assembly for Wales?

- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> None at all
- <5> Don't know

[vi15]And how much of a difference do you think it makes who wins in general elections to the UK House of Commons?

- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> None at all
- <5> Don't know

Please indicate how you would have voted in the National Assembly for Wales election if you had been asked to rank the parties in your order of preference.

Put 1 for your most preferred party, then 2 for your second best party, 3 for your third choice etc. You may rank as many or as few choices as you wish.

- Conservative
- Labour
- Liberal Democrat
- Plaid Cymru
- Green
- UK Independence Party
- British National Party
- Socialist Labour
- Welsh Christian Party
- Communist
- Some other party

##3. Campaign Perceptions

During election campaigns, some people receive lots of information – flyers, leaflets, and so on – through the door. Others receive almost nothing at all. Could you tell us which of the following types of election-related material you remember receiving? (Please tick all that apply)

- <1> A polling card telling you where to vote
- <2> Leaflets from one or more of the parties
- <3> Leaflets from specific MSP candidates
- <4> Something from the referendum 'Yes' campaign
- <5> Something from the referendum 'No' campaign
- <6> Information guides describing the ballot papers and explaining how to vote
- <7 fixed xor> None of these

Now some questions about the campaign for the National Assembly for Wales election...

[cp1]{single}Were you contacted by someone from a political party during the election campaign?

- <1> No, I was not
- <2> Yes, I was
- <3> Don't know

[cp2a if cp1==2]{multiple order=randomize} Please indicate all the parties that contacted you about the election. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> Plaid Cymru
- <5 fixed> Other Parties or Organisations
- <6 fixed xor> Don't know

[cp2b if 5 in cp2a]{open}Please state the other party/ organisations that contacted you:

[cp3e if 1 in cp2a]{multiple order=randomize} Please indicate all the ways the Conservative Party contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks
- <7> Text message (SMS)
- <8 fixed> Other Ways

[cp3f if 8 in cp3e]{open}Please state the other ways you were contacted by the Conservative Party:

[cp3g if 2 in cp2a]{multiple order=randomize} Please indicate all the ways the Labour Party contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks
- <7> Text message (SMS)
- <8 fixed> Other Ways

[cp3h if 8 in cp3g]{open}Please state the other ways you were contacted by the Labour Party:

[cp3i if 3 in cp2a]{multiple order=randomize} Please indicate all the ways the Liberal Democrat Party contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks
- <7> Text message (SMS)
- <8 fixed> Other Ways

[cp3j if 8 in cp3i]{open}Please state the other ways you were contacted by the Liberal Democrat Party:

[cp3k if 4 in cp2a]{multiple order=randomize} Please indicate all the ways Plaid Cymru contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks
- <7> Text message (SMS)
- <8 fixed> Other Ways

[cp3l if 8 in cp3k]{open}Please state the other ways you were contacted by Plaid Cymru:

Did you see any of the Party Election Broadcasts that were shown on television?

- Yes
- No

IF YES:

Which parties' Election Broadcasts did you see? [Please tick all that apply]

- Conservatives
- Labour
- Liberal Democrats
- Plaid Cymru
- Other
- Don't know

FOR EACH PARTY INDICATED:

Was your impression of the INSERT PARTY NAME broadcast favourable or unfavourable?

- Very favourable
- Favourable
- Neither favourable nor unfavourable
- Unfavourable
- Very unfavourable
- DK

Did you see all or part of any of the televised debates among the Welsh party leaders that were held during the election campaign?

- Yes
- No
- DK

IF YES:

Overall, who do you think did the best job in the debates? (Randomise order of response categories)

- Carwyn Jones
- Kirsty Williams
- Nick Bourne
- Ieuan Wyn Jones
- DK

And who do you think did the worst job in the debates? (Randomise order of response categories)

- Carwyn Jones
- Kirsty Williams
- Nick Bourne
- Ieuan Wyn Jones
- DK

Campaigning is said to be 'positive' when it involves putting forward your own policies and personalities. 'Negative' campaigning means criticising the policies and personalities of the other parties. How would you rate the campaigns of the following parties on a scale from 'very positive' to 'very negative'? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

Conservatives

Labour

Liberal Democrats

Plaid Cymru

- Very positive
- Fairly positive
- Neither positive nor negative
- Fairly negative
- Very negative
- Don't know

[cb4grid]{grid roworder=randomize}To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the election for the National Assembly for Wales?

- -[cp4a]The election campaign gave me enough information to make an informed choice
- -[cp4b]During the election campaign, the parties spent too much time criticising each other
- -[cp4c]During the election campaign, the parties did not talk about any of the issues that matter to me
- -[cp4d]The media coverage of the election made it difficult for me to understand what the parties stand for
- -[cp4e]The parties were completely invisible; I didn't hear anything from any of them
- The election was completely invisible in the media because of coverage of the Royal Wedding
- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree

<6> Don't know

[cp5]Which of the parties do you think ran the best election campaign? (randomise order)

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> Plaid Cymru
- <5 fixed> Another party <6 fixed xor> Don't know

And which of the Welsh party leaders do you think performed the best during the election campaign? (randomise order)
- Nick Bourne

- Carwyn Jones
- leuan Wyn JonesKirsty WilliamsDK

4. AV Referendum.

Many people have told us that they didn't manage to vote in the referendum on changing the voting system for UK general elections to the Alternative Vote. How about you – did you manage to vote in this referendum?

- Yes, I did
- No, I did not

FOR ALL NOT VOTING:

People have many reasons for not voting. Why did you not vote in the referendum?

- OPEN RESPONSE

FOR ALL VOTING:

Which way did you vote in the referendum?

- I voted Yes (i.e. in favour of a change to the Alternative Vote for UK general elections)
- I voted No (i.e. against a change to the Alternative Vote for UK general elections)
- DK

Why did you vote this way?

- OPEN RESPONSE

Were you contacted by either of the two sides during the referendum campaign?

- I was contacted by the Yes campaign (Yes to Fairer Votes)
- I was contacted by the No Campaign (No to AV)
- I was not contacted by either campaign
- DK

(NOTE: HOW BEST TO FORMAT THIS, GIVEN THAT PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE BEEN CONTACTED BY BOTH?)

IF CONTACTED:

Please indicate all the ways the Yes campaign contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks
- <7> Text message (SMS)
- <8 fixed> Other Ways

Please state the other ways you were contacted by the Yes campaign:

Please indicate all the ways the No campaign contacted you. (Please select all that apply.)

- <1> Telephone call
- <2> Leaflets or other mail delivered to your home
- <3> A visit to your home
- <4> Contact in the street
- <5> Email
- <6> Twitter, Facebook or another social networks

<7> Text message (SMS) <8 fixed> Other Ways

Please state the other ways you were contacted by the No campaign:

How would you rate the referendum campaigns of the two sides on a scale from 'very positive' to 'very negative'? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

Yes to Fairer Votes

No to AV

- Very positive
- Fairly positive
- Neither positive nor negative
- Fairly negative
- Very negative
- Don't know

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the referendum on the Alternative Vote?

- The referendum campaign gave me enough information to make an informed choice
- During the referendum campaign, the two sides spent too much time criticising each other
- The media coverage of the referendum made it difficult for me to understand what it was about
- The Yes campaign were completely invisible; I didn't hear anything from them
- The No campaign were completely invisible; I didn't hear anything from them
- The referendum was completely invisible in the media because of coverage of the Royal Wedding
- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree
- <6> Don't know

Which of the two sides do you think ran the best referendum campaign?

- Yes to Fairer Votes
- No to AV
- Don't know

How well would you say that you understand the Alternative Vote electoral system that was proposed in this referendum?

- Very well
- Quite well
- Not very well
- Not at all
- Don't know

Here are some statements that people have made about the Alternative Vote electoral system. For each one, please could you say how true you think it is? [Please tick one option on each row] START GRID

It is a much more proportional system than the current system

Some people's votes count two or even three times

There would be no safe seats under AV

It would be much easier for small parties like the BNP to win seats

- Definitely true
 Probably true
 Probably not true
 Definitely not true
 Don't know
 END GRID

5. Political Issues

[pi1a]{open rows=1 cols=60}Now, we'd like to ask you a few questions about the issues and problems facing the country. As far as you're concerned, what is the <<i>>single most important issue<</i>> facing Wales at the present time? <
br/>>Please type your answer in the box below. If you think there are no important issues facing Wales at the present time, please write NONE; if you don't know, please write DK

[pi1b]{single}Which party is best able to handle this issue?

- <1> There are no important problems
- <2> None No Party
- <3> Labour
- <4> Conservatives
- <5> Liberal Democrats
- <6> Plaid Cymru
- <7> Green Party
- <8> United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- <9> British National Party (BNP)
- <10> Other
- <11> Don't know

[pi2a]{open cols = 40 rows = 4}And what is the <<i>>single most important issue<</i>> facing Britain at the present time? <
>Please type your answer in the box below. If you think there are no important issues facing Britain at the present time, please write NONE; if you don't know, please write DK

[pi2b]{single}Which party is best able to handle this issue?

- <1> There are no important problems
- <2> None No Party
- <3> Labour
- <4> Conservatives
- <5> Liberal Democrats
- <6> Plaid Cymru
- <7> Green Party
- <8> United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- <9> British National Party (BNP)
- <10> Other
- <11> Don't know

[pi3a]{single} Since the last election to the National Assembly for Wales in 2007, would you say that the standard of the health service in Wales has increased or fallen?

- <1> Increased a lot
- <2> Increased a little
- <3> Stayed the same
- <4> Fallen a little
- <5> Fallen a lot
- <6> Don't know

[pi3b]{single} And is this mainly the result of...

- <1> The policies of the UK government at Westminster
- <2> The policies of the Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Both equally
- <4> Some other reason
- <5>Don't know

[pi4a]{single} And what about the quality of education in Wales? Has it increased or fallen since the last election to the National Assembly for Wales in 2007?

- <1> Increased a lot
- <2> Increased a little
- <3> Stayed the same
- <4> Fallen a little
- <5> Fallen a lot
- <6> Don't know

[pi4b]{single} And is this mainly the result of...

- <1> The policies of the UK government at Westminster
- <2> The policies of the Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Both equally
- <4> Some other reason
- <5> Don't know

[pi5a]{single} And what about the general standard of living in Wales? Has it increased or fallen since the last election to the National Assembly for Wales in 2007?

- <1> Increased a lot
- <2> Increased a little
- <3> Stayed the same
- <4> Fallen a little
- <5> Fallen a lot
- <6> Don't know

[pi5b]{single} And is this mainly the result of...

- <1> The policies of the UK government at Westminster
- <2> The policies of the Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Both equally
- <4> Some other reason
- <5> Don't know

[pi6a]{single} And what about the standard of law and order in Wales. Has it increased or fallen since the last election to the National Assembly for Wales in 2007?

- <1> Increased a lot
- <2> Increased a little
- <3> Stayed the same
- <4> Fallen a little
- <5> Fallen a lot
- <6> Don't know

[pi6b]{single} And is this mainly the result of...

- <1> The policies of the UK government at Westminster
- <2> The policies of the Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Both equally
- <4> Some other reason
- <5> Don't know

[pi7]More generally, how good or bad a job of running Britain do you think Conservative ministers in the UK government have done in the last year?

- <1> Very good
- <2> Fairly good
- <3> Neither good nor bad
- <4> Fairly bad
- <5> Very bad

<6> Don't know

[pi8]And how good or bad a job of running Britain do you think Liberal Democrat ministers in the UK government have done in the last year?

- <1> Very good
- <2> Fairly good
- <3> Neither good nor bad
- <4> Fairly bad
- <5> Very bad
- <6> Don't know

[pi9]And how good or bad a job of running Britain do you think the Labour government that was in power from 1997 – 2010 did?

- <1> Very good
- <2> Fairly good
- <3> Neither good nor bad
- <4> Fairly bad
- <5> Very bad
- <6> Don't know

[pi10]Now thinking about Wales, how good or bad a job of running Wales do you think Labour ministers in the Welsh Assembly Government have done since 2007?

- <1> Very good
- <2> Fairly good
- <3> Neither good nor bad
- <4> Fairly bad
- <5> Very bad
- <6> Don't know

[pi11]And how good or bad a job of running Wales do you think Plaid Cymru ministers in the Welsh Assembly Government have done since 2007?

- <1> Very good
- <2> Fairly good
- <3> Neither good nor bad
- <4> Fairly bad
- <5> Very bad
- <6> Don't know

[ap1a]{single}Some people think of themselves as usually being a supporter of one political party rather than another. Do you usually think of yourself as being a supporter of one particular party or not?

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<1> Yes, I do
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<2> No, I do not
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[ap1b if ap1a==1]Which party is that?

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<1> Labour
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- <2> Conservative
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <5> Plaid Cymru
- <6> Green Party
- <7> United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- <8> British National Party (BNP)
- <9> Other

[ap2grid]{grid roworder=randomize}Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about...

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-[ap2a]Conservative Party
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- -[ap2b]Labour Party
- -[ap2c]Liberal Democrats
- -[ap2d]Plaid Cymru
- -[ap2e]Green Party
- -[ap2f]UK Independence Party
- -[ap2g]British National Party

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<1> 0 - Strongly dislike
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- <2> 1
- <3> 2
- <4> 3
- <5> 4
- <6> 5
- <7> 6
- <8> 7
- <9> 8 <10> 9
- <11> 10 Strongly like
- <12> Don't know

[ap3grid]{grid roworder=randomize}And now some questions about the party leaders... Again using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about...

- -[ap3a]David Cameron
- -[ap3b]Ed Miliband
- -[ap3c]Nick Clegg
- -[ap3d]Carwyn Jones
- -[ap3e]leuan Wyn Jones
- -[ap3f]Nick Bourne
- -[ap3g]Kirsty Williams
- <1> 0 Strongly dislike
- <2> 1
- <3> 2
- <4> 3

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<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 - Strongly like
<12> Don't know
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[ap9]In politics, people sometimes talk about parties and politicians as being on the left or the right.
Using a 0 to 10 scale, where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right and 5 means in the
centre, where would you place yourself?
<1>0 - far left
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6>5 – in the centre
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – far right
<12> Don't know
[ap10grid] {grid roworder=randomize}And where would you place...
-[ap10a] Labour Party
-[ap10b]Conservative Party
-[ap10c]Liberal Democrats
-[ap10d]Plaid Cymru
-[ap10e]Green Party
-[ap10f]UK Independence Party
-[ap10g]British National Party
<1>0 - far left
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5 – in the centre
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – far right
<12> Don't know
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**How much do you think each of these parties looks after the interests of...?**
{module order=randomize}
[ap5grid1]{grid}The Conservative Party
-[ap5a]Working class people
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- -[ap5b]English people who live in Wales
- -[ap5c]Welsh people in general
- -[ap5d]People who speak Welsh
- -[ap5e]People like you
- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> Not at all
- <5> Don't know

[ap5grid2]{grid}The Labour Party

- -[ap5f]Working class people
- -[ap5g]English people who live in Wales
- -[ap5h]Welsh people in general
- -[ap5i]People who speak Welsh
- -[ap5j]People like you
- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> Not at all
- <5> Don't know

[ap5grid3]{grid}The Liberal Democrat Party

- -[ap5k]Working class people
- -[ap5l]English people who live in Wales
- -[ap5m]Welsh people in general
- -[ap5n]People who speak Welsh
- -[ap5o]People like you
- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> Not at all
- <5> Don't know

[ap5grid4]{grid}Plaid Cymru

- -[ap5p]Working class people
- -[ap5q]English people who live in Wales
- -[ap5r]Welsh people in general
- -[ap5s]People who speak Welsh
- -[ap5t]People like you
- <1> A great deal
- <2> A fair amount
- <3> Not very much
- <4> Not at all
- <5> Don't know

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[ap6grid]{grid}We have a number of parties in Wales, each of which would like to get your vote. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you would ever vote for...

- -[ap6a]Labour Party
- -[ap6b]Conservative Party
- -[ap6c]Liberal Democrats
- -[ap6d]Plaid Cymru
- -[ap6e]Green Party
- -[ap6f]UK Independence Party

-[ap6g]British National Party

- <1> 0 very unlikely <2> 1 <3> 2 <4> 3

- <5> 4
- <6> 5
- <7> 6
- <8> 7
- <9> 8
- <10> 9
- <11> 10 very likely <12> Don't know

7. Attitudes to Politics and Political Institutions

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

RANDOMIZE ORDER FOR THIS BLOCK OF QUESTIONS

[ad9a]If my local council started making lots of decisions that most people disagreed with, it might be better to do away my local council altogether.

- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree
- <6> Don't know

[ad9b]If the National Assembly for Wales started making lots of decisions that most people disagreed with, it might be better to do away with the National Assembly for Wales altogether.

- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree
- <6> Don't know

[ad9c]If the UK Parliament at Westminster started making lots of decisions that most people disagreed with, it might be better to do away with the UK Parliament at Westminster altogether.

- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree
- <6> Don't know

[ad9d]If the European Union started making lots of decisions that most people disagreed with, it might be better to do away with the European Union altogether.

- <1> Strongly agree
- <2> Tend to agree
- <3> Neither agree nor disagree
- <4> Tend to disagree
- <5> Strongly disagree
- <6> Don't know

{end module institutions}

Which of these statements comes closest to your view?

- <1> There should be no devolved government in Wales
- <2> The National Assembly for Wales should have fewer powers
- <3> We should leave things as they are now
- <4> The National Assembly for Wales should have more powers
- <5> Wales should become independent, separate from the UK
- <6> Don't know

^{**}To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following?**

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[ad11grid]{grid roworder=randomize}Which of these levels of government do you think _currently has most influence over the following?

- -[ad11a]Policy about law and order in Wales
- -[ad11b]The NHS in Wales
- -[ad11c]The standard of schools in Wales
- -[ad11d]Defence and foreign policy
- -[ad11e]The level of taxation
- The way Wales is run
- <1> The UK Government in London
- <2> The Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Local councils in Wales
- <4> The European Union
- <5> Don't know

[ad12grid]{grid roworder=randomize}And which of these levels of government _should have_ most influence over the following?

- -[ad12a]Policy about law and order in Wales
- -[ad12b]The NHS in Wales
- -[ad12c]The standard of schools in Wales
- -[ad12d]Defence and foreign policy
- -[ad12e]The level of taxation
- The way Wales is run
- <1> The UK Government in London
- <2> The Welsh Assembly Government
- <3> Local councils in Wales
- <4> The European Union
- <5> Don't know

If in the future, the National Assembly for Wales was to be abolished and Wales was to be governed as it was before devolution, how would you feel?

- Pleased
- Sorrv
- Neither pleased nor sorry
- DK

If in the future, Wales was to become independent and break away entirely from the United Kingdom, how would you feel?

- Pleased
- Sorry
- Neither pleased nor sorry
- DK

At any time in the next twenty years, do you think it is likely or unlikely that Wales will become completely independent from the United Kingdom?

- Very likely
- Fairly likely
- Fairly unlikely
- Very unlikely
- DK

Everyone in Wales now has an MP who represents them in the UK House of Commons and AMs who represent them in the Welsh National Assembly. Say that you or a relative had a serious problem about **the payment of a government benefit**, such as child benefit or the old age pension, and you had decided to go to a politician to get help to sort it out. Who do you think would be better able to help you?

- An MP
- An AM
- Both would be equally able to help
- DK

And say that you or a relative had a serious problem about **getting treatment on the National Health Service**, and you had decided to go to a politician to get help to sort it out. Who do you think would be better able to help you?

- An MP
- An AM
- Both would be equally able to help
- DK

Now, thinking about the following institutions, please use a 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the following, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. Please click the arrow to continue.

RANDOMISE ORDER BETWEEN MPs, AMs, UK GOVT & WAG

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**Using this 0 to 10 scale, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust...**

How much do you trust Members of Parliament at Westminster to work in Wales' best interests?

<1> 0 - no trust

<2> 1

<3> 2

<4> 3

<5> 4

<6> 5

<7> 6

<8> 7

<9> 8

<10> 9

<11> 10 - a great deal of trust

<12> Don't know
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And how much would you trust Members of Parliament at Westminster to be concerned with the problems of people like you?

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<1> 0 - no trust

<2> 1

<3> 2

<4> 3

<5> 4

<6> 5

<7> 6

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<12> Don't know
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and integrity?
<1>0 - no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
How much do you trust Members of the National Assembly for Wales to work in Wales' best interests?
<1> 0 – no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
And how much would you trust Members of the National Assembly for Wales to be concerned with the
problems of people like you?
<1>0 – no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
And how much do you trust Members of the National Assembly for Wales to conduct their work with
honesty and integrity?
<1> 0 – no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
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And how much do you trust Members of Parliament at Westminster to conduct their work with honesty

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How much do you trust the UK Government for Wales to work in Wales' best interests?
<1>0 - no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
And how much would you trust the UK Government to be concerned with the problems of people like
you?
<1> 0 – no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
And how much do you trust the UK Government to conduct their work with honesty and integrity?
<1>0 – no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
How much do you trust the Welsh Assembly Government to work in Wales' best interests?
<1> 0 - no trust
<2> 1
<3> 2
<4> 3
<5> 4
<6> 5
<7> 6
<8> 7
<9> 8
<10> 9
<11> 10 – a great deal of trust
<12> Don't know
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And how much would you trust the Welsh Assembly Government to be concerned with the problems of people like you?

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<1>0 - no trust
<2> 1
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And how much do you trust the Welsh Assembly Government to conduct their work with honesty and integrity?

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<1>0 – no trust
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<10> 9

<11> 10 – a great deal of trust <12> Don't know

8. Respondents

Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

- <1> Welsh not British
- <2> More Welsh than British
- <3> Equally Welsh and British
- <4> More British than Welsh
- <5> British not Welsh
- <6> None of these
- <7> Don't know

Thinking back to the day of the election to the National Assembly for Wales, did anyone that you know ask you to vote? (Tick all that apply)

- 1. Nobody asked
- 2. Yes, a member of your family living at the same address
- 3. Yes, a member of your family living elsewhere
- 4. Yes, somebody else living at your address
- 5. Yes, a friend (not living at your address)
- 6. Yes, a neighbour
- 7. Yes, other

IF YES (for all Yes's given):

And did this INSERT RELEVANT ANSWER FROM ABOVE try to persuade which way you should vote?

- Yes they did
- No they did not
- DK

{single} If there were a general election held tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

- <1> Conservative
- <2> Labour
- <3> Liberal Democrat
- <4> PlaidCymru
- <5> Some other party
- <6> Would not vote
- <7> Don't know

[q2 if q1==5] {single} And which of these parties would you vote for?

- <1> Green
- <2> United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- <3> British National Party (BNP)
- <4> Respect
- <5> Some other party or candidate
- <6> Don't know