

## **Who's on London's Boats survey – summary report.**

November 2016

The Canal & River Trust carried out a survey to better understand who is living on / using boats in the London waterway. The findings of the survey will help to inform the Trust's London Mooring Strategy and other policies, and those of others to help ensure the needs of boaters in London are understood and met.

About the survey.

The survey monkey, online survey was carried out between Monday 19 September and Friday 21 October 2016. The Trust identified all boats that had been sighted in London during the 12 month period 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016.

In total the survey was sent directly to 3675 boaters. It was sent by email to 1837 boaters with a home mooring and 1427 boaters without a home mooring, and by post with a web link and details of how to request a paper version of the survey to 268 boaters with a home mooring and 143 boaters without a home mooring.

Postcards with details of the survey and including a web link were distributed around the London waterway, including being attached to boats. Posters were displayed around the London waterway network and the survey was promoted the Boater's Update and London Boater's Update e-bulletins.

In total 1323 responses were received to the survey. Responses to the survey were anonymous however, separate web links were used to monitor responses to the survey from different groups.

- 558 surveys were completed by boaters with a home mooring with an email address
- 486 surveys were completed by boaters without a home mooring with an email address
- 20 surveys were completed by boaters with and without a home mooring who were sent a letter as no email was available for them.
- 259 surveys were completed from the postcard links/requests for e-link to the survey

## Key headlines

58% of respondents to the survey say they use their boats as their primary home.

69% of respondents said they are currently living on a boat in the London waterway area.

50% of those who responded said that affordability / financial reasons was a motivation for living on a boat.

50% have been living on boats on London's waterways for three years or less.

Over 70% of respondents to the survey said that they owned their boats outright, a further 11% said they owned their boat with a loan or mortgage.

33% of respondents said that their boat had experienced mechanical issues in the past 12 months that has prevented them from moving it.

The top five specific improvements people want to see on the London waterways are (1) more mooring places, (2) more mooring rings, (3) water points, (4) more Elsan facilities, (5) more dredging.

34% of those living on boats are under the age of 35

5% of those living on boats are over the age of 65

63 children under the age of 16 living on boats identified through the survey.

43% of those living on boats live alone.

42% of those living on boats live as part of a cohabiting couple.

12% of those living on boats live as part of a wider family group.

45% responding said they would have some or definite interest in a mooring if permanent / long-term moorings were more readily available in the London

The most important factors when considering a permanent / long-term mooring (other than price) were (1) somewhere people feel personally safe, (2) good services nearby (sewage and rubbish etc), (3) public transport nearby.

77% of respondents said they are white (English, Welsh, Scottish, Northern Irish or British), this rises to 89% when white other is included.

10% said that their day-to-day activities are limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months

## Survey findings

### Section – About you and your boat

Q1 - Which of the following options best describes how you use your boat most of the time?

(Answered by 1324 skipped by 0)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ I use it to cruise the waterways in my leisure time	18.29% 242
▼ As a holiday home	1.97% 26
▼ As a temporary home	1.51% 20
▼ As a temporary home where I live when at work	3.85% 51
▼ As a second home where I live for extended periods / as an alternative to my main residence	6.42% 85
▼ As my primary home	58.13% 769
▼ Other (please specify) <span style="float: right;">Responses</span>	9.83% 130

Of the respondents who chose 'other' as an option, these responses included Rowing (66), sport, leisure or recreation (42), business use (10), Office/studio (2)

Q2 - How many nights a year do you usually spend on your boat?

(answered by 1309 skipped by 15)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ I never spend the night on my boat (0 nights)	9.17% 120
▼ Approximately less than a couple of months a year (Less than 62 nights)	12.69% 166
▼ Approximately a couple of months a year (62 nights)	4.51% 59
▼ Approximately a quarter of the year (93 nights)	3.90% 51
▼ Approximately half the year (182 nights)	4.51% 59
▼ Approximately three quarters of the year (275 nights)	14.07% 184
▼ All year (365 nights)	47.40% 620
▼ I'd prefer not to say	3.75% 49
Total	1,308

Q3 - Do you currently live on a boat in the London Waterway area\*? (\*this is where your boat is most of the time)

(Answered by 1303 skipped by 21)

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	69.51%	905
No	30.49%	397
Total		1,302

Q4 - To help us understand if you have connections to a particular area please answer each of the following questions that are applicable to you.

(Answered by 839 skipped by 485)

Local authority in which you pay council tax

Not applicable 59% (418). The results were spread across local authority areas, the highest number were in Hillingdon 5% (36), Hackney 4% (30), Ealing 3.5% (25), Hounslow 2% (16), Islington 2% (13), Tower Hamlets 2% (13), Other 7% (48), prefer not to say 2% (14) .

Local authority in which you are registered to vote

Not applicable 29% (223). The results were spread across local authority areas, the highest number were in Hackney 11% (84), Hillingdon 4.5% (36), Islington 4.5% (35), Tower Hamlets 4% (31), Westminster 3% (21), Hounslow 3% (23) Waltham Forrest 2% (14), Other 12% (94), prefer not to say 2% (15) .

Local authority in which you are registered with a general practitioner (doctor)

Not applicable 21.5% (173). The results were spread across local authority areas, the highest number were in Hackney 11.5% (94), Hillingdon 7.5% (61), Islington 7% (57), Tower Hamlets 4.5% (36), Camden 3.5% (27), Ealing 3.5% (30), Westminster 3.5% (29), Haringey 2% (18), City of London 2% (15), Kensington and Chelsea 2% (15), prefer not to say 1% (7)

Local authority in which you have children attending school

Not applicable 88% (564). The results were spread across local authority areas, the highest number were in Ealing 1% (6), Hackney 1.5% (9), Hillingdon 1% (5), other 2% (13), prefer not to say 1% (5)

(Percentage figures rounded up or down to nearest 0.5 percentage.)

## Q5 - Please tell us how long you have been living on a boat in the London Waterways area?

(Answered by 830 skipped by 494)

Answer Choices	Responses	
Less than 12 months	17.95%	149
More than 12 months but less than 2 years	20.36%	169
More than 2 years but less than 3 years	12.17%	101
More than 3 years but less than 4 years	10.36%	86
More than 4 years but less than 5 years	7.59%	63
More than 5 years	29.16%	242
Prefer not to say	2.41%	20
Total		830

Q6 - What would be the top two specific improvements you would like to see to the London canal and river network?

Top specific improvement (1070 responses)

More mooring places - 455

More mooring rings - 248

Water points - 212

More Elsan facilities– 153

More dredging - 80

More pump-out facilities - 63

More short-stay visitor moorings [more / better management] - 48

Reduce/manage unsafe double/triple mooring - 48

Stop bad/dangerous cycling on towpath - 41

Better recycling facilities - 38

Clear rubbish from the canals/improve water quality - 35

Manage [reduce] overstaying on all moorings - 25

More/better towpath lighting/improve towpath safety - 24

More waste facilities – 22

Affordable permanent moorings - 19

Better general maintenance (especially locks) – 19

Better vegetation management – 19

More permanent offline moorings (including residential) - 17

More business moorings/affordable business moorings - 7

Manage [reduce] overstaying on all moorings – 6

Improve water levels/management – 5

Remove unlicensed boats - 4

Restrict the number of wide beam boats - 3

Manage [reduce] overstaying on services - 3

More community outreach/communication with boaters – 2

Remove unsafe boats - 2

More boating related businesses – 2

More winter moorings in London - 2

Better education/training for new boaters – 1

More wharfs with road access for loading/unloading – 1

Improve towpath quality – 1

Improve/more winding holes - 1

Create no mooring zones for cruising – 1

Access to normal postal service – 1

Remove water points from lock landings – 1

Better signage about mooring – 1

Open the Olympic Park fully – 1

Stop boats being rented out - 1

Q7 Second specific improvement (970 responses)

More mooring places – 707  
Water points – 131  
More dredging – 51  
Clear rubbish from the canals/improve water quality – 50  
Stop bad/dangerous cycling on towpath - 44  
More Elsan facilities– 41  
Better recycling facilities – 34  
More pump-out facilities - 33  
More/better towpath lighting/improve towpath safety - 30  
More Waste facilities – 28  
More permanent offline moorings (including residential) - 26  
More short-stay visitor moorings [more / better management] – 25  
Better general maintenance (especially locks) – 25  
Better vegetation management – 17  
Reduce/manage unsafe double/triple mooring - 11  
Affordable permanent moorings - 9  
Remove unlicensed boats – 8  
Better education/training for new boaters - 7  
Restrict the number of wide beam boats - 6  
Manage [reduce] overstaying on all moorings – 6  
Manage [reduce] overstaying on services - 4  
Improve water levels/management - 3  
More community outreach/communication with boaters – 3  
Remove unsafe boats – 3  
More winter moorings in London – 3  
Better signage about mooring - 3  
More wharfs with road access for loading/unloading - 2  
Create no mooring zones for cruising - 2  
Improve online mooring information – 2  
Better care for wildlife - 2  
Less movement required/more extended stay times - 1  
More business moorings/affordable business moorings - 1  
Improve towpath quality – 1  
Landing points for rowing - 1  
More boating related businesses – 1  
Improve historic structures -1  
Improve/more winding holes – 1  
Houseboats moored safely - 1

Q8 Do you live on a boat on another waterway\* outside of the London waterway area? (\*this is where your boat is most of the time)

(Answered by 390 skipped by 934)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ No	86.67% 338
▼ Yes (please say which waterway/s) <a href="#">Responses</a>	13.33% 52
Total	390



## Q9 – What are your main motivations for living on a boat? (select all that apply)

(Answered by 890 skipped by 434)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ I am attracted to the waterway environment (e.g. wildlife, boats, tranquillity etc)	81.55% 725
▼ I (want to) live on a boat so I can go cruising whenever I feel like it	46.57% 414
▼ It offers me an alternative to 'mainstream' living	48.03% 427
▼ It offers me sustainable low-impact living	54.22% 482
▼ Affordability / financial reasons	49.83% 443
▼ The waterway community	53.09% 472
▼ So that I can live and work from my boat	17.32% 154
▼ Personal / family reasons	14.40% 128
Total Respondents: 889	

### Q10 - What type of boater are you?

(answered by 1120 skipped by 204)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ A boater with a home mooring	42.45% 475
▼ A continuous cruiser (who lives aboard most of the year - the boat is my primary residence)	42.54% 476
▼ A continuous cruiser (who does not live aboard most of the year - the boat is not my primary residence)	3.66% 41
▼ Other (please specify) <span style="float: right;">Responses</span>	11.35% 127
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,119</b>

### Q11 - Do you have a home mooring in the Canal & River Trust London waterway area?

(answered by 473 skipped by 851)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Yes	90.49% 428
▼ No	9.51% 45
<b>Total</b>	<b>473</b>

### Q12 Where is your home mooring?

(385 responses)

### Q13 - What type of boat do you have?

(answered by 1102 skipped by 222)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Narrowboat	66.12% 728
▼ Wide beam canal boat	12.53% 138
▼ River cruiser	7.18% 79
▼ Dutch barge	3.45% 38
▼ Don't know	0.45% 5
▼ Other (please specify) <span style="float: right;">Responses</span>	10.26% 113
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,101</b>

## Q14 How wide is your boat

(answered by 1102 skipped by 222)

Answer Choices	Responses	
▼ 7ft (2mtr) or under	74.32%	819
▼ Over 7ft (2mtr+)	25.68%	283
Total	1,102	

## Q15 How long is your boat

(answered by 1102 skipped by 222)

Answer Choices	Responses	
▼ Less than 30ft (9mtr)	12.52%	138
▼ 30ft (9mtr)	3.09%	34
▼ 30-50ft (9-15mtr)	33.48%	369
▼ 50-70ft (15-21mtr)	45.46%	501
▼ 70ft + (21mtr +)	5.44%	60
Total	1,102	

## Q16 – Is your boat...

(answered by 1100 skipped by 224)

Answer Choices	Responses	
▼ Owned outright (by you)	72.52%	797
▼ Owned (by you) with a mortgage or loan	11.37%	125
▼ Shared ownership (by you and someone else)	8.64%	95
▼ Rented privately (i.e. owned by someone else)	0.45%	5
▼ Prefer not to say	1.82%	20
▼ Other (please specify)	Responses	5.19% 57
Total	1,099	

Q17 - When considering housing needs, housing authorities consider potential occupancy as well as actual occupancy. How many bedrooms does your boat have? Please include rooms that can be converted into a bedroom on a daily basis, for example those with sofa / pull-out beds.

(Answered by 1095 skipped by 229)

Answer Choices	Responses	
1	44.61%	488
2	35.01%	383
3	7.04%	77
4+	1.37%	15
Prefer not to say	11.97%	131
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,094</b>	

Q18 - Has your boat experienced any mechanical issues in the past 12 months that has prevented you from moving it?

(Answered by 1092 skipped by 232)

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	33.27%	363
No	63.15%	689
Prefer not to say	3.57%	39
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,091</b>	

Q19 – Please use the sliding scale to indicate how easy have you found it to access facilities/services in the London waterway area to carry out maintenance on your boat?

(Answered by 1008 skipped by 316)

Average score 45/100

### Section – Who lives on your boat

Q20 - Do you or anyone else live on your boat (e.g. it is the primary residence where you/they live the majority of the time)?

(Answered by 1089 skipped by 235)

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	53.31%	580
No	43.11%	469
Prefer not to say	3.58%	39
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,088</b>

Q21 - How many adults in each of the following age brackets live\* on your boat? (\* this is the place that is their primary home where they live the majority of the time)

(Answered by 577 skipped by 747)

	0	1	2	3	4	5+	Total	Weighted Average
Aged 16-24	85.84% 285	9.94% 33	3.92% 13	0.30% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	332	2.14
Aged 25-34	41.36% 170	35.77% 147	22.63% 93	0.24% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	411	2.59
Aged 35-44	57.84% 214	32.43% 120	9.73% 36	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	370	2.42
Aged 45-54	63.20% 225	28.37% 101	8.43% 30	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	356	2.37
Aged 55-64	75.68% 252	18.02% 60	6.01% 20	0.00% 0	0.30% 1	0.00% 0	333	2.25
Aged 65-74	88.18% 276	10.22% 32	1.60% 5	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	313	2.12
Aged 75+	97.94% 285	2.06% 6	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	291	2.02

## Q22 - How many children in each of the following age brackets live on your boat?

(Answered by 577 skipped by 747)

	0	1	2	3	4	5+	Total	Weighted Average
Aged 0 - 2	95.64% 526	4.00% 22	0.36% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	550	2.04
Aged 2+ - 5	96.97% 448	2.81% 13	0.22% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	462	2.03
Aged 5+ - 11	96.73% 444	2.40% 11	0.87% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	459	2.03
Aged 11+ - 15	97.80% 445	1.98% 9	0.22% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	455	2.02

## Q23 - Please select the option that best represents the relationship of the people living on your boat

(Answered by 574 skipped by 750)

Answer Choices	Responses
There is only one person living on the boat	43.03% 247
The people living on the boat are part of a cohabiting couple	41.99% 241
The people living on the boat are part of one family (i.e. one or two parents or legal guardians and any number and combination of blood related, step or legally adopted children)	11.85% 68
The people living on the boat comprise more than one family unit (as defined above), for example an additional individual, related or not, or more than one family	0.52% 3
There is more than one unrelated person living on the boat (e.g. groups of unrelated housemates)	0.87% 5
None of the above	1.05% 6
Prefer not to say	0.70% 4
<b>Total</b>	<b>574</b>

## Section – Permanent and long term moorings

Q24 - If permanent / long-term moorings were more readily available in the London Waterway area, how interested would be in taking one?

(Answered by 1078 skipped by 246)

Answer Choices	Responses	
▼ Absolutely no interest in a permanent mooring	26.65%	287
▼ No interested, I already have a permanent / long-term mooring	27.76%	299
▼ Some interest in a permanent mooring	24.98%	269
▼ Definitely interested in a permanent mooring	20.61%	222
Total	1,077	

Q25 – When choosing a permanent / long-term mooring how important to you are the following factors?

(Answered by 484 skipped by 840)

	Very important	A little important	Not important	Total	Weighted Average
▼ Road access	30.23% 143	44.61% 211	25.16% 119	473	1.95
▼ Car parking nearby	29.30% 138	30.79% 145	39.92% 188	471	2.11
▼ Bicycle parking nearby	21.38% 99	34.13% 158	44.49% 206	463	2.23
▼ Local shops nearby	41.89% 199	51.16% 243	6.95% 33	475	1.65
▼ Public transport nearby	63.10% 301	31.03% 148	5.87% 28	477	1.43
▼ Attractive scenery/surroundings	48.41% 229	45.45% 215	6.13% 29	473	1.58
▼ Schools nearby	8.42% 39	12.10% 56	79.48% 368	463	2.71
▼ Health services nearby	15.70% 73	47.74% 222	36.56% 170	465	2.21
▼ Close to my place of employment	15.33% 71	49.68% 230	34.99% 162	463	2.20
▼ Avoiding flood risk	48.92% 226	36.80% 170	14.29% 66	462	1.65
▼ Good services nearby (sewage and rubbish etc.)	78.74% 374	20.00% 95	1.26% 6	475	1.23
▼ A gated access mooring	31.77% 149	35.18% 165	33.05% 155	469	2.01
▼ Somewhere I personally feel safe	81.36% 384	17.16% 81	1.48% 7	472	1.20
▼ Proximity to a boat yard or place I can carry out maintenance on my boat	11.80% 55	50.64% 236	37.55% 175	466	2.26



Q26 - Which type of mooring would you consider taking (please select in order of preference all those you would consider, for example 1 = first preference, 2 = second preference etc)

(Answered by 463 skipped by 861)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total	Score
▼ A permanent mooring in a marina with no services	1.74% 6	5.23% 18	6.10% 21	18.31% 63	17.15% 59	51.45% 177	344	2.02
▼ A permanent mooring in a marina with full services	17.74% 69	12.85% 50	21.08% 82	7.46% 29	29.56% 115	11.31% 44	389	3.48
▼ A permanent mooring in a small off line canal basin or layby with no services	6.49% 24	11.35% 42	15.95% 59	34.32% 127	23.78% 88	8.11% 30	370	3.18
▼ A permanent mooring in a small off line canal basin or layby with full services	31.63% 130	35.52% 146	18.73% 77	7.54% 31	5.11% 21	1.46% 6	411	4.77
▼ A permanent mooring on the non-towpath side of the main canal with no services	11.57% 42	17.08% 62	16.53% 60	21.49% 78	11.29% 41	22.04% 80	363	3.30
▼ A permanent mooring on the non-towpath side of the main canal with full services	43.90% 180	24.88% 102	21.22% 87	3.66% 15	4.39% 18	1.95% 8	410	4.94

Q27 – Which type of provider would you consider taking a mooring from? (tick all that apply)

(Answered by 455 skipped by 869)

Answer Choices	Responses
<input type="checkbox"/> The Canal & River Trust	88.11% 400
<input type="checkbox"/> A private operator	63.00% 286
<input type="checkbox"/> A not for profit operator (for example a registered social landlord or community run provider)	90.31% 410

Total Respondents: 454

Q28 - If additional permanent moorings could be created within London waterways area, please tell us from this list of locations where you might consider taking a mooring (select all that you'd consider)

(Answered by 461 skipped by 863)

	Would strongly consider	Might consider	Total	Weighted Average
Grand Union - Rickmansworth to Uxbridge	42.33% 91	57.67% 124	215	1.58
Grand Union - Slough Arm	22.37% 34	77.63% 118	152	1.78
Grand Union - Uxbridge - West Drayton	35.45% 67	64.55% 122	189	1.65
Grand Union - West Drayton to Brentford	40.45% 72	59.55% 106	178	1.60
Grand Union - Paddington Arm – Hayes to Alperton	45.58% 103	54.42% 123	226	1.54
Grand Union - Paddington Arm – Alperton to Little Venice, including Paddington Basin	73.36% 223	26.64% 81	304	1.27
Regents - Little Venice to Kings Cross	79.68% 251	20.32% 64	315	1.20
Regents - Kings Cross to Haggerston	76.70% 237	23.30% 72	309	1.23
Regents - Haggerston to Limehouse	76.25% 228	23.75% 71	299	1.24
Hertford Union	68.94% 182	31.06% 82	264	1.31
Limehouse Cut	63.27% 174	36.73% 101	275	1.37
Lee Navigation – Bow to Tottenham Hale	73.86% 226	26.14% 80	306	1.26
Lee Navigation – Tottenham Hale to Waltham Abbey	53.93% 144	46.07% 123	267	1.46
Lee Navigation – Waltham Abbey to Hoddesdon	41.70% 93	58.30% 130	223	1.58
River Stort - Hoddesdon to Hertford	40.10% 81	59.90% 121	202	1.60
River Stort - Hoddesdon to Bishops' Stortford	34.90% 67	65.10% 125	192	1.65

Q29 - The cost of permanent moorings in London varies depending on location and the facilities offered at each mooring. To give an idea, the yearly price paid for permanent moorings in London ranges from £128 to £570 per metre. Recent permanent moorings sold by the Canal & River Trust using its auction system have seen prices of £14,000 per berth (close to Broadway Market) to £27,000 per berth (close to Canary Wharf). Follow this link to open a new window with more details on the price of Canal & River Trust moorings in the London waterway area sold in 2016 (January - August). If permanent moorings were available in London, please use the price range below to give us an indication of the maximum price you would pay for a permanent mooring.

(Answered by 452 skipped by 872)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ £128-£199 per M per year (approximately £39-£60 per ft per year)	32.59% 147
▼ £200-£299 per M per year (approximately £61-£91 per ft per year)	23.06% 104
▼ £300 - £399 per M per year (approximately £92-£121 per ft per year)	13.53% 61
▼ £400 - £499 per M per year (approximately £122-£152 per ft per year)	7.98% 36
▼ £500 - £599 per M per year (approximately £152-£182 per ft per year)	3.77% 17
▼ £600 - £699 per M per year (approximately £183-213 per ft per year)	2.88% 13
▼ £700 - £799 per M per year (approximately £213-£244 per ft per year)	0.67% 3
▼ £800+ per M per year ((approximately £244 per ft per year)	0.89% 4
▼ Don't know	14.63% 66
<b>Total</b>	<b>451</b>

Q30 - Are you considering alternatives to living on a boat such as living in accommodation on land?

(Answered by 465 skipped by 859)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Yes	19.61% 91
▼ No	61.42% 285
▼ Don't know / I haven't considered this	18.97% 88
<b>Total</b>	<b>464</b>

Q31 - What is the main reason you are considering moving from living on a boat to living on land?

(Answered by 90 skipped by 1234)

Answer Choices	Responses
I don't want to continue living on a boat	0.00% 0
Convenience of living on land	33.33% 30
Location	12.22% 11
Other (please specify) <span style="float: right;">Responses</span>	54.44% 49
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>

Q32 - To what extent do you agree or disagree that a lower cost of living is your main reason for living on a boat?

(Answered by 458 skipped by 866)

Answer Choices	Responses
Strongly agree	16.19% 74
Tend to agree	20.79% 95
Neither agree nor disagree	29.76% 136
Tend to disagree	16.41% 75
Strongly disagree	16.85% 77
<b>Total</b>	<b>457</b>

Section – Understanding more about London’s boaters (this section was optional)

Q33 - Optional: How do you define your gender?

(Answered by 1023 skipped by 301)

Answer Choices	Responses
Male	59.78% 611
Female	35.23% 360
Transgender	0.39% 4
Prefer not to say	3.42% 35
Something else (please specify)	Responses 1.17% 12
Total	1,022

Q34 – What was your age at your last birthday?

(Answered by 902 skipped by 422)

18	1	42	9	76	2
19	1	43	13	77	3
20	1	44	10	78	8
21	2	45	22	79	0
22	4	46	14	80	1
23	5	47	17	81	0
24	12	48	11	82	0
25	13	49	23	83	0
26	23	50	18	84	0
27	33	61	10	85	1
28	19	62	18	86	1
29	30	63	18	87	0
30	28	64	10	88	0
31	16	65	12	89	0
32	24	66	11	90	0
33	29	67	17	91	0
34	20	68	13	92	0
35	19	69	8	93	0
36	22	70	11	94	0
37	15	71	8	95	0
38	14	72	11	96	0
39	15	73	7	97	0
40	14	74	10	98	0
41	23	75	4	99	1
				100	0
					897

Other answers

Retired – 1  
Getting Older – 1

Over twenty one – 1  
None of your business 2

### Q35 - Optional: How would you define your ethnic group?

(Answered by 1004 skipped by 320)

Answer Choices	Responses
WHITE - English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	76.77% 770
WHITE - Irish	1.60% 16
WHITE - Eastern European	1.40% 14
WHITE - Gypsy or Irish Traveller	0.00% 0
WHITE - Mixed European	4.69% 47
WHITE - Any other White background	5.58% 56
BLACK/AFRICAN/CARIBBEAN/BACK BRITISH - Caribbean	0.10% 1
BLACK/AFRICAN/CARIBBEAN/BACK BRITISH -African	0.00% 0
BLACK/AFRICAN/CARIBBEAN/BACK BRITISH - Any other Black background	0.20% 2
ASIAN OR ASIAN BRITISH - Indian	0.20% 2
ASIAN OR ASIAN BRITISH - Pakistani	0.00% 0
ASIAN OR ASIAN BRITISH - Bangladeshi	0.00% 0
ASIAN OR ASIAN BRITISH - Chinese	0.20% 2
ASIAN OR ASIAN BRITISH - Any other Asian background	0.20% 2
OTHER ETHNIC GROUP - Arab	0.10% 1
OTHER ETHNIC GROUP - Any other ethnic group	0.70% 7
MIXED/MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS - White and Black Caribbean	0.30% 3
MIXED/MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS - White and Black African	0.00% 0
MIXED/MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS - White and Asian	0.50% 5
MIXED/MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS - Any other mixed background	1.00% 10
Prefer not to say	4.79% 48
Other (please specify) <span style="float: right;">Responses</span>	1.69% 17
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,003</b>

Q36 - Optional: Do you consider yourself to be any of the following? (select any that apply)

(Answered by 986 skipped by 338)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Gypsy or Traveller	1.93% 19
▼ New Traveller or New Age Traveller	2.03% 20
▼ Bargee	7.41% 73
▼ Fairground or circus family, known as travelling showmen	0.30% 3
▼ None of the above	84.37% 831
▼ Prefer not to say	6.40% 63
Total Respondents: 985	

Q37 - Optional: Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months?

(Answered by 1010 skipped by 314)

Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Yes, limited a lot	1.68% 17
▼ Yes, limited a little	8.82% 89
▼ No	87.41% 882
▼ Prefer not to say	2.08% 21
Total	1,009



Q38 - Optional: If yes, please select the box that describes your disability below;

(Answered by 116 skipped by 1208)

Answer Choices	Responses
Behaviour and emotional	17.24% 20
Hearing	3.45% 4
Sight	1.72% 2
Speech	0.86% 1
Manual dexterity	10.34% 12
Memory or ability to concentrate or learn (learning difficulty)	4.31% 5
Mobility and Gross Motor	24.14% 28
Perception of physical danger	3.45% 4
Personal, self care and continence	5.17% 6
Progressive condition and physical health (such as HIV, cancer, multiple sclerosis, fits etc)	18.97% 22
Prefer not to say	31.90% 37
Total Respondents: 116	

Q39 - Optional: Please indicate which of the following options best describes your current status:

(Answered by 1013 skipped by 311)

Answer Choices	Responses
Employed full-time (30 hours or more per week)	42.69% 432
Employed part-time	6.72% 68
Self employed	23.81% 241
Unemployed	1.09% 11
Full time student	2.17% 22
Full-time homemaker or carer	0.40% 4
Full-time homemaker with dependent children	0.59% 6
Full-time homemaker with no dependent children	0.00% 0
Carer	0.10% 1
Voluntary work	0.79% 8
Work experience	0.00% 0
Retired	16.30% 165
Prefer not to say	1.88% 19
Other (please specify) <b>Responses</b>	3.46% 35
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,012</b>

Q40 - Optional: Are you currently receiving Statutory Sick Pay?

(Answered by 1010 skipped by 314)

Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	0.00% 0
No	98.51% 994
Prefer not to say	1.49% 15
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,009</b>

Q41 - Optional: Are you currently receiving any of the following? Employment and Support Allowance, Job Seekers Allowance, Income Support or Incapacity Benefit

(Answered by 1009 skipped by 315)

Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	1.49% 15
No	96.63% 974
Prefer not to say	1.88% 19
Total	1,008