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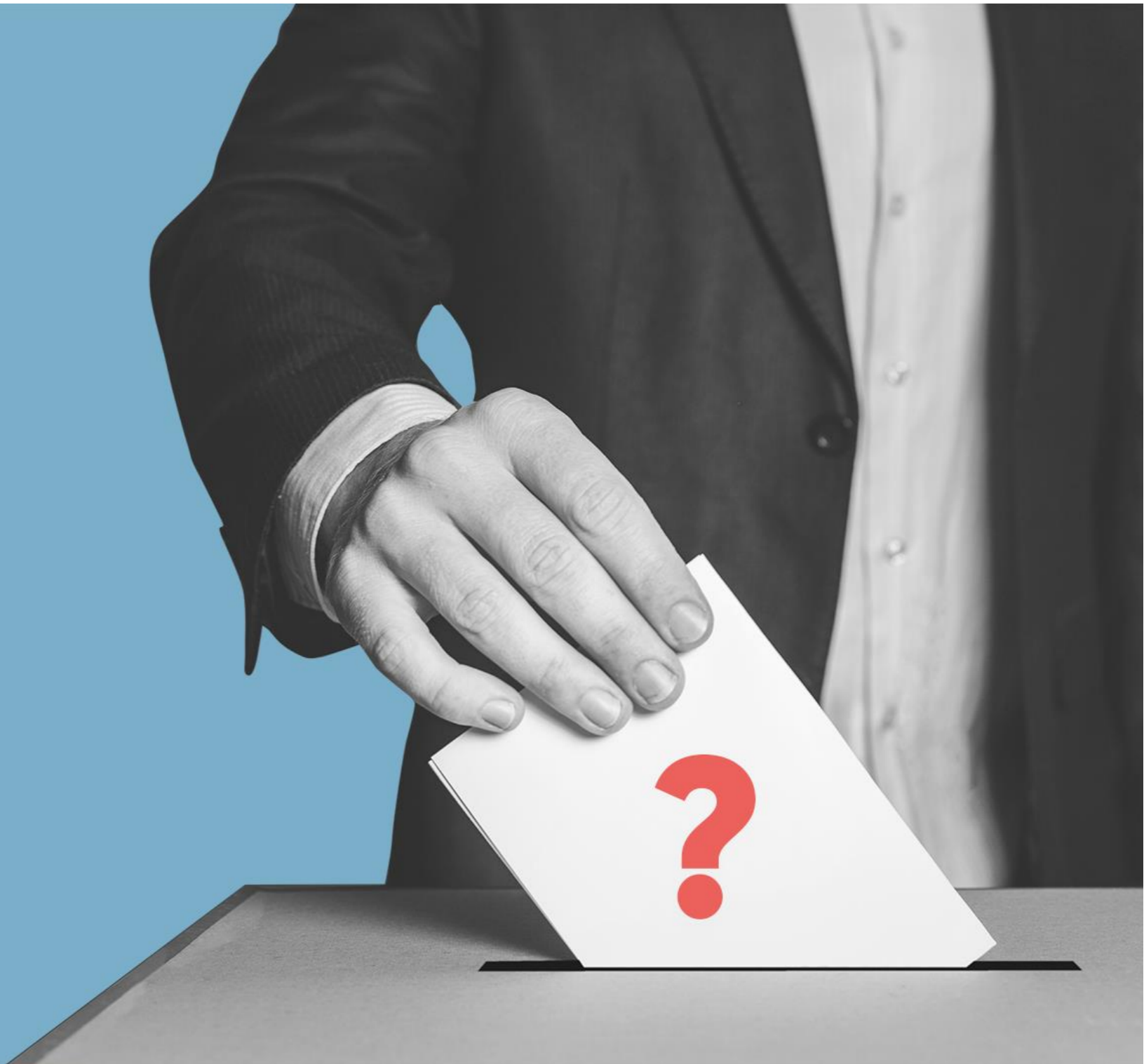
# POLITICAL MONITOR



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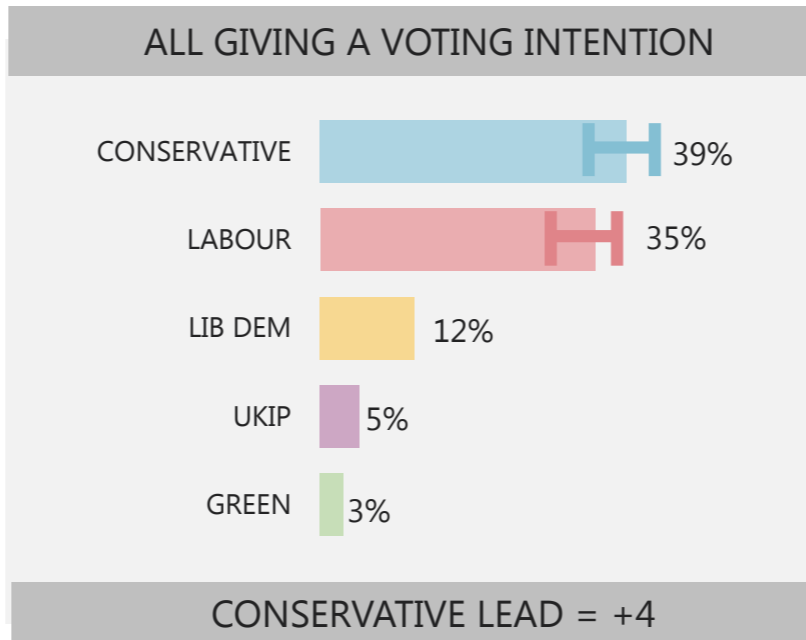
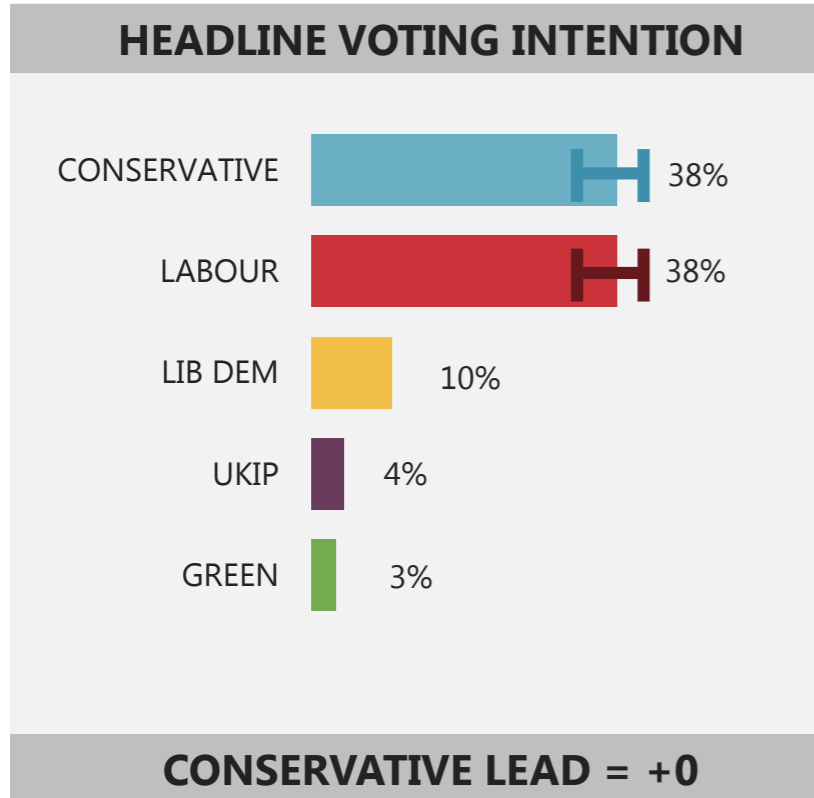
# VOTING INTENTIONS



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# Voting Intention: February 2019

HOW WOULD YOU VOTE IF THERE WERE A GENERAL ELECTION TOMORROW?

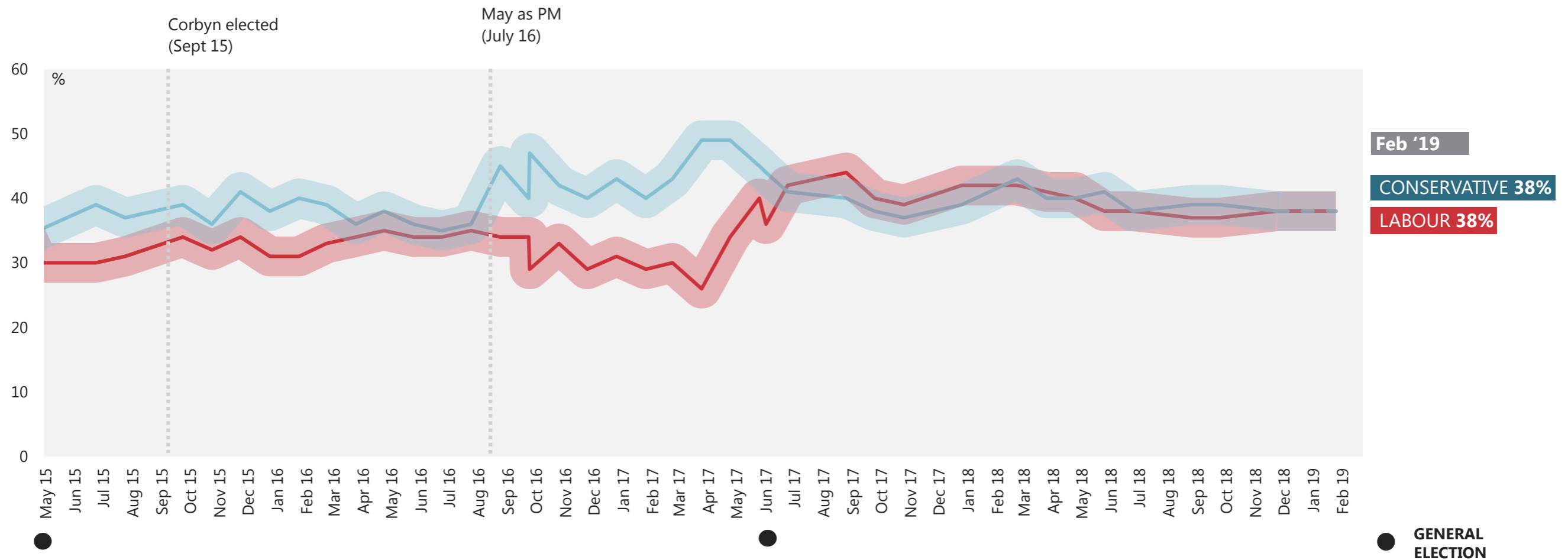


**Base:** 1,005 British adults 18+, 1 – 5 February 2019; Headline Voting Intention: all 9/10 certain to vote and always/usually/it depends vote in General Elections = 811 Margin of error is displayed at +/- 4% All polls are subject to a wide range of potential sources of error. On the basis of the historical record of the polls at recent general elections, there is a 9 in 10 chance that the true value of a party's support lies within 4 points of the estimates provided by this poll, and a 2 in 3 chance that they lie within 2 points. This is especially important to keep in mind when calculating party lead figures.

**Source:** Ipsos MORI Political Monitor

# Headline voting intention: Since 2015 General Election

HOW WOULD YOU VOTE IF THERE WERE A GENERAL ELECTION TOMORROW?

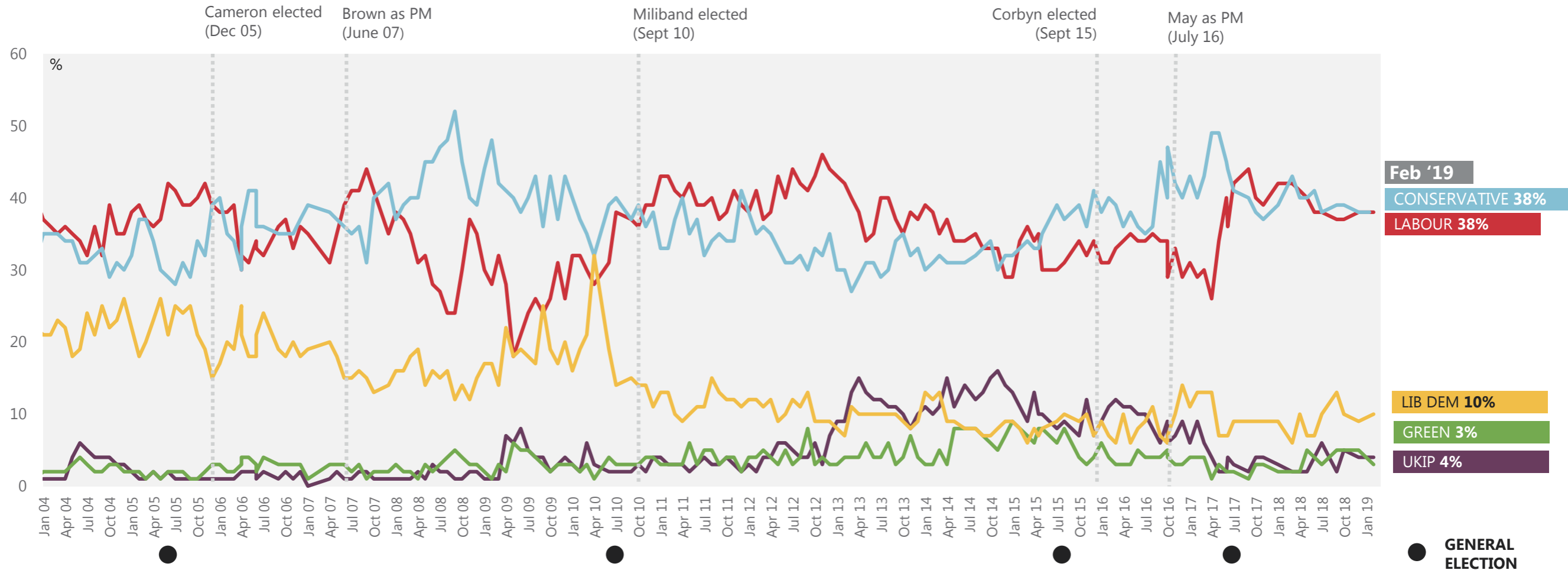


Base: c. 800 British adults; Prior to July 2015 the turnout filter is "All certain to vote"; From July 2015 turnout filter is "all 9/10 certain to vote and always/usually/it depends vote in General Elections"

Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor

# Headline voting intention: January '04 – February '19

HOW WOULD YOU VOTE IF THERE WERE A GENERAL ELECTION TOMORROW?



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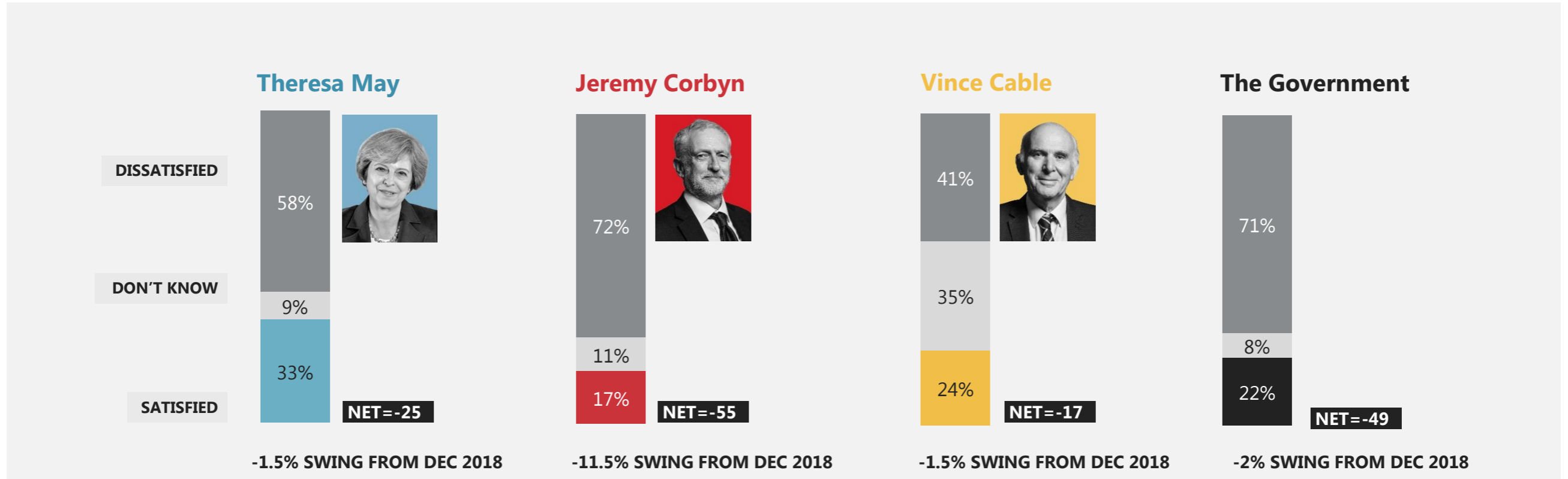
**SATISFACTION  
WITH GOVERNMENT  
AND PARTY  
LEADERS**



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# Satisfaction with leaders and the Government: February 2019

ARE YOU SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED WITH THE WAY... IS RUNNING THE COUNTRY / DOING HIS/HER JOB AS PRIME MINISTER /LEADER OF THE LABOUR PARTY/LEADER OF THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS?

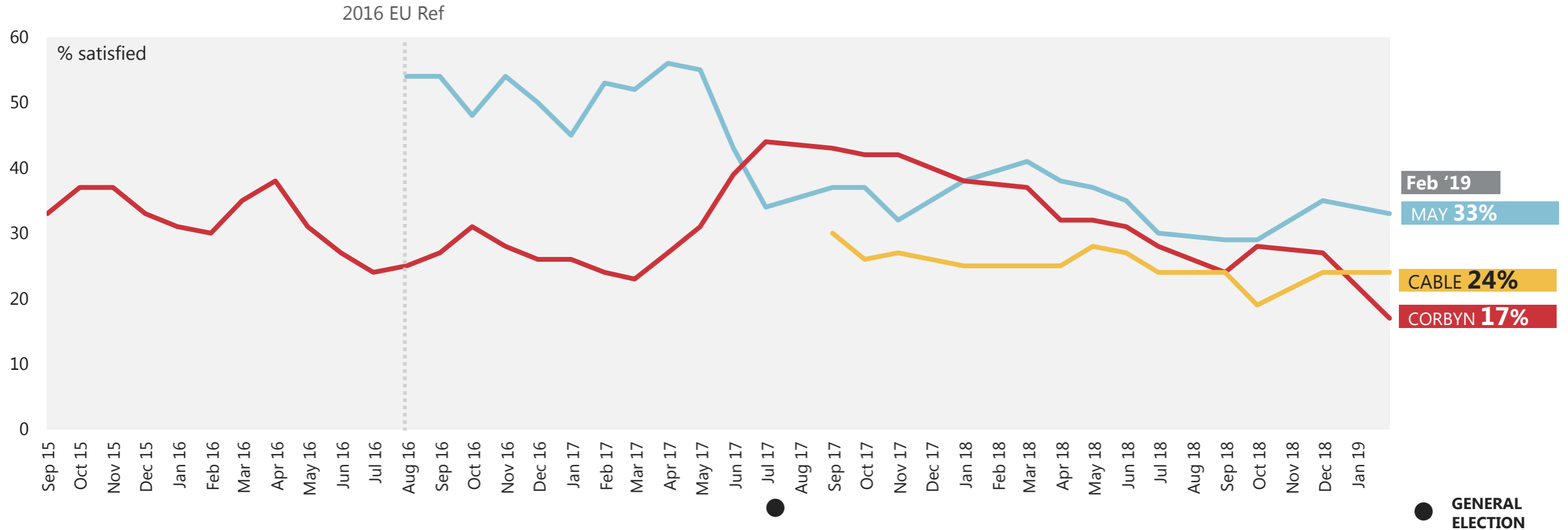


Base: 1,005 British adults 18+ 1-5 February 2019. Swing is calculated as the average of change in % "satisfied" and % "dissatisfied"

Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor

# Satisfaction with Party leaders September 2015 – February 2019

HOW SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED ARE YOU WITH THE WAY ... IS DOING HIS/HER JOB AS PRIME MINISTER /LEADER OF THE LABOUR/LIB DEM PARTY?



Base: c.1,000 British adults each month.

Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor





# Net satisfaction with Prime Ministers (1979-2019)

HOW SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED ARE YOU WITH THE WAY ... IS DOING HIS/HER JOB AS PRIME MINISTER?



**Note:** Data collected prior to February 2008 was collected via face-to-face methodology; data collected from February 2008 was via telephone

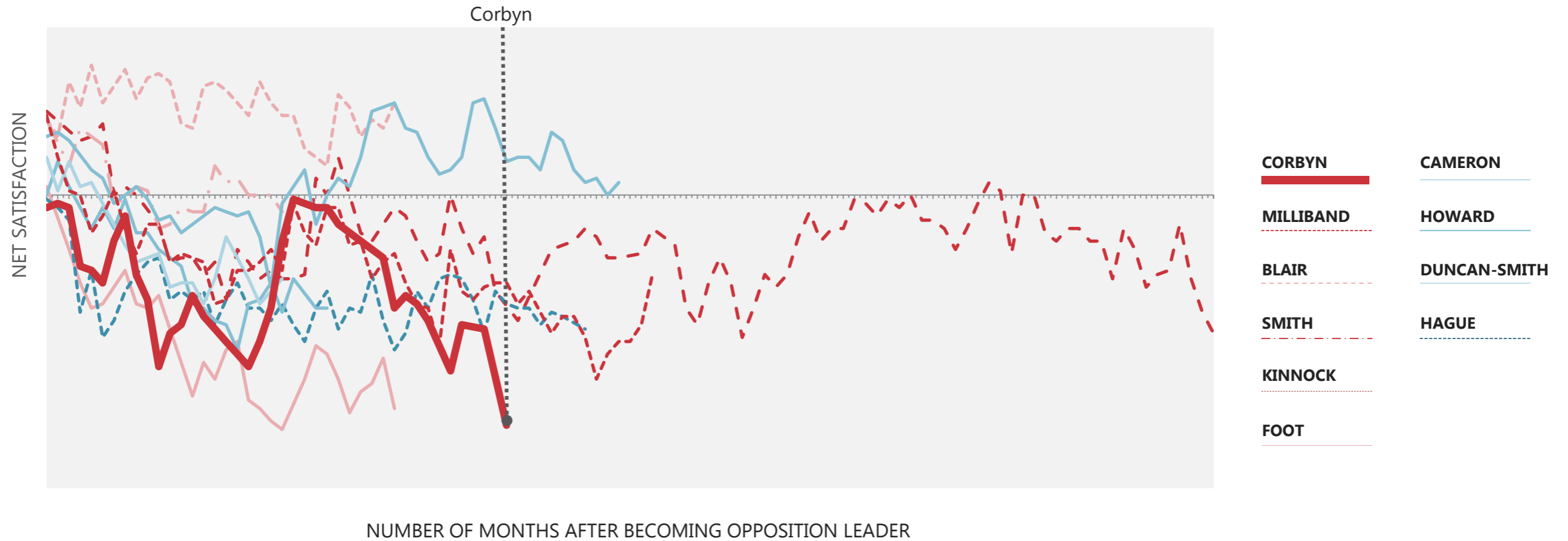
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# Net satisfaction with Opposition Leaders (1980 – 2019)

HOW SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED ARE YOU WITH THE WAY ... IS DOING HIS JOB AS LEADER OF THE ... PARTY?



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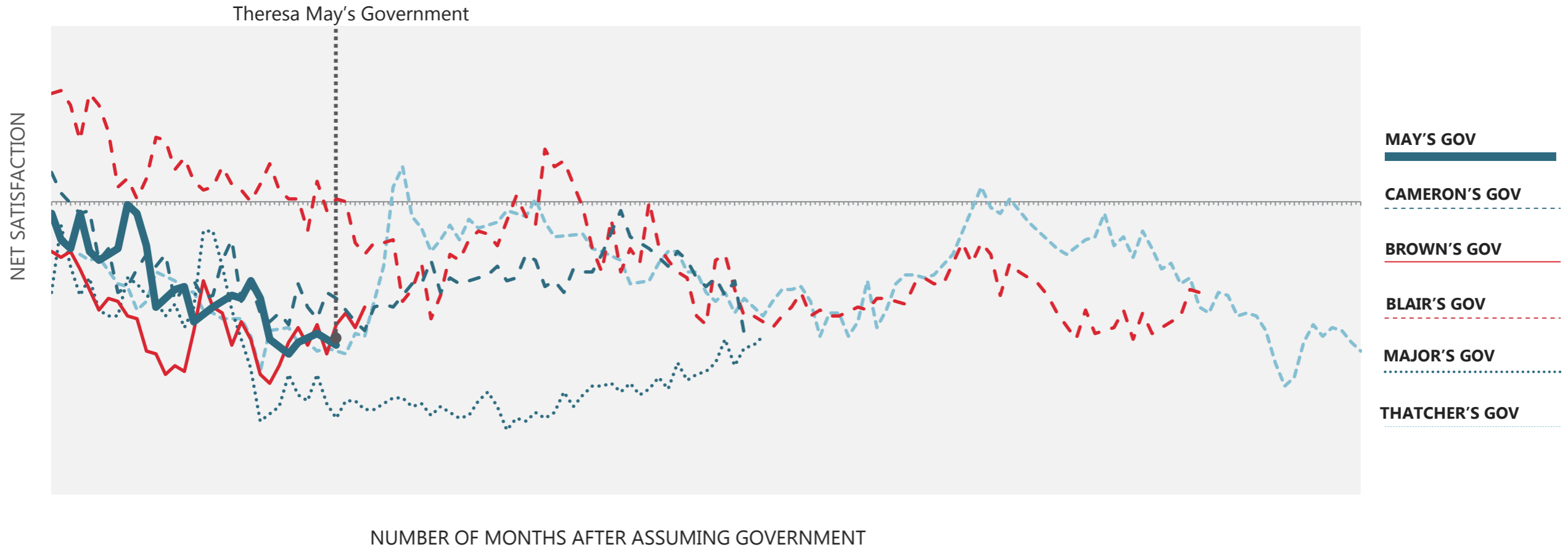
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# Net satisfaction with the Government (1979 – 2019)

HOW SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED ARE YOU WITH THE WAY THE GOVERNMENT IS RUNNING THE COUNTRY?



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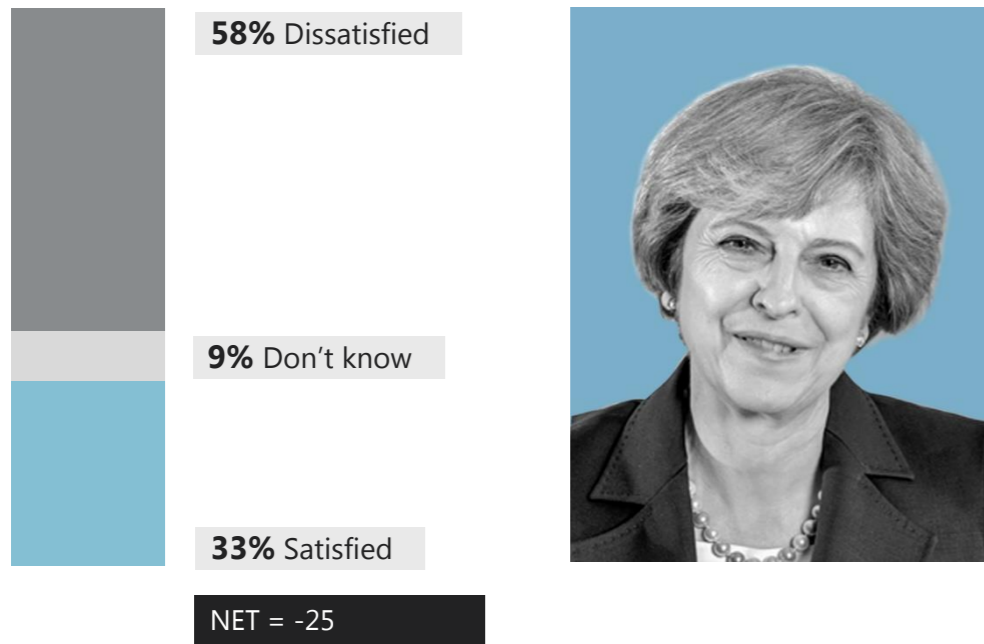
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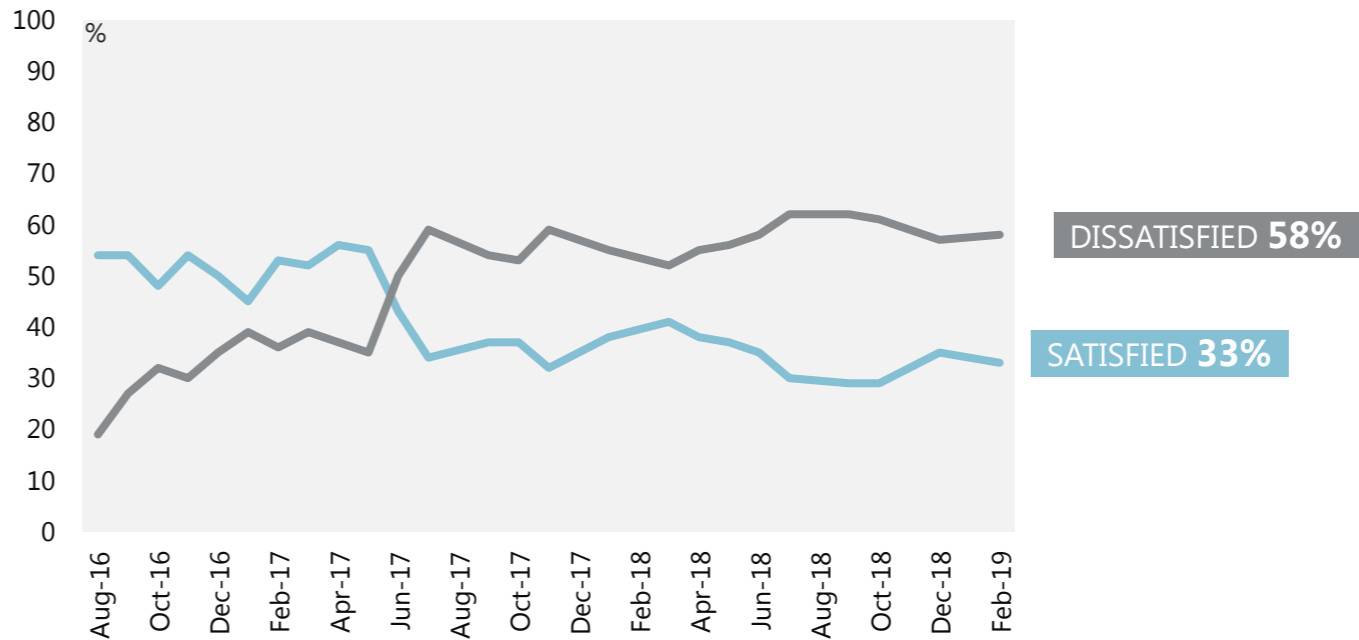
# Theresa May Satisfaction

ARE YOU SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED WITH THE WAY THERESA MAY IS DOING HER JOB AS PRIME MINISTER?

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August 2016 – February 2019



Base: 1,005 British adults 18+ 1 February – 5 February 2019

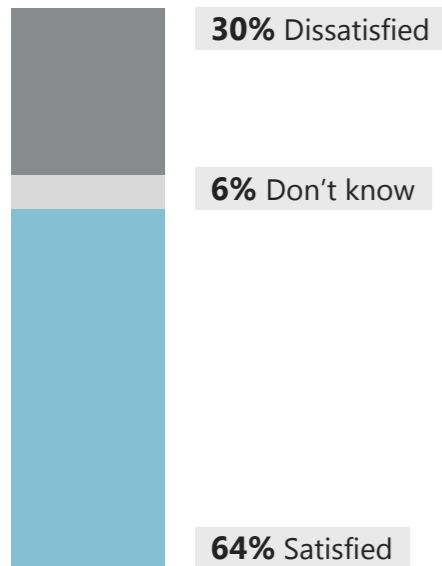


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# Theresa May | Satisfaction amongst Conservative supporters

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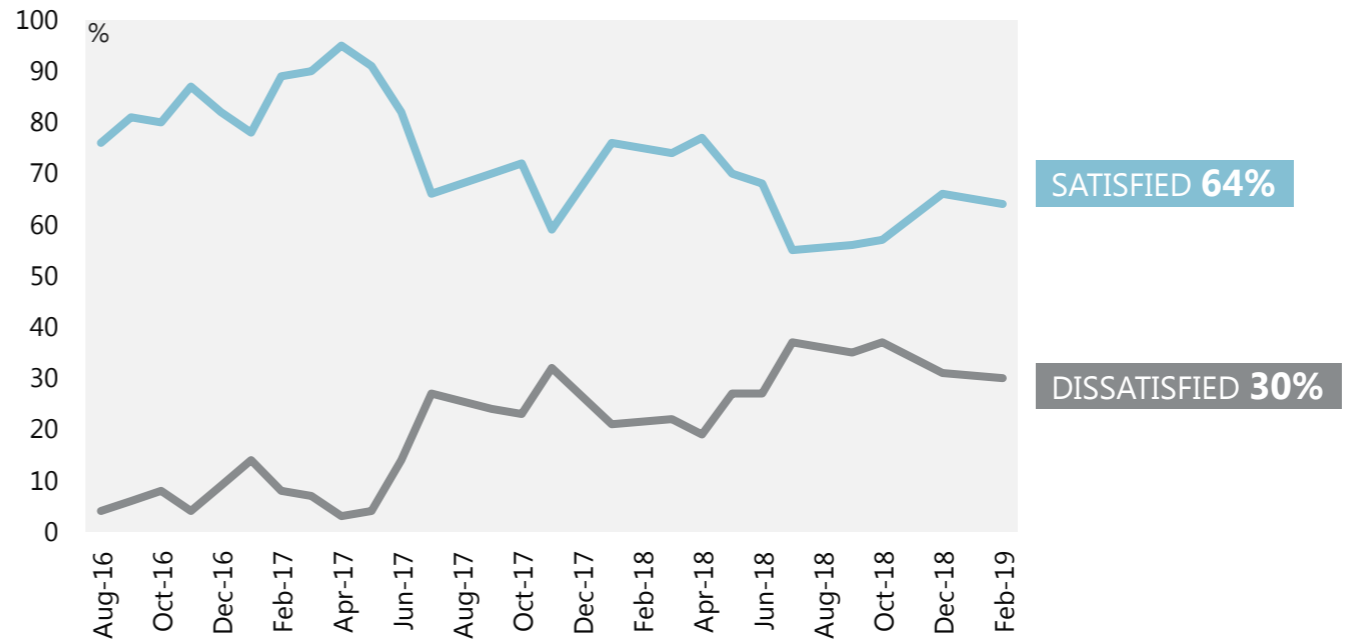
February 2019



NET = +34



August 2016 – February 2019



Base: 352 Conservative supporters 18+ 1 February – 5 February 2019

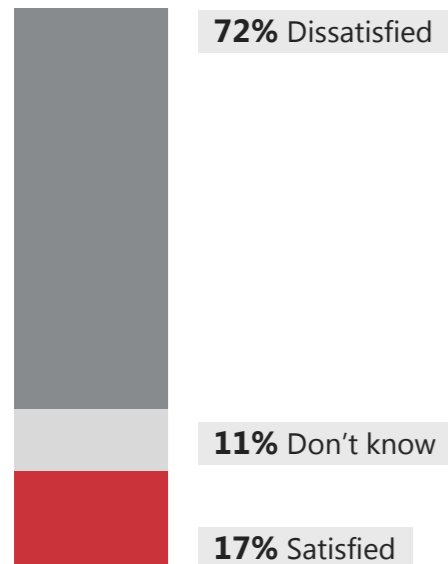


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# Jeremy Corbyn Satisfaction

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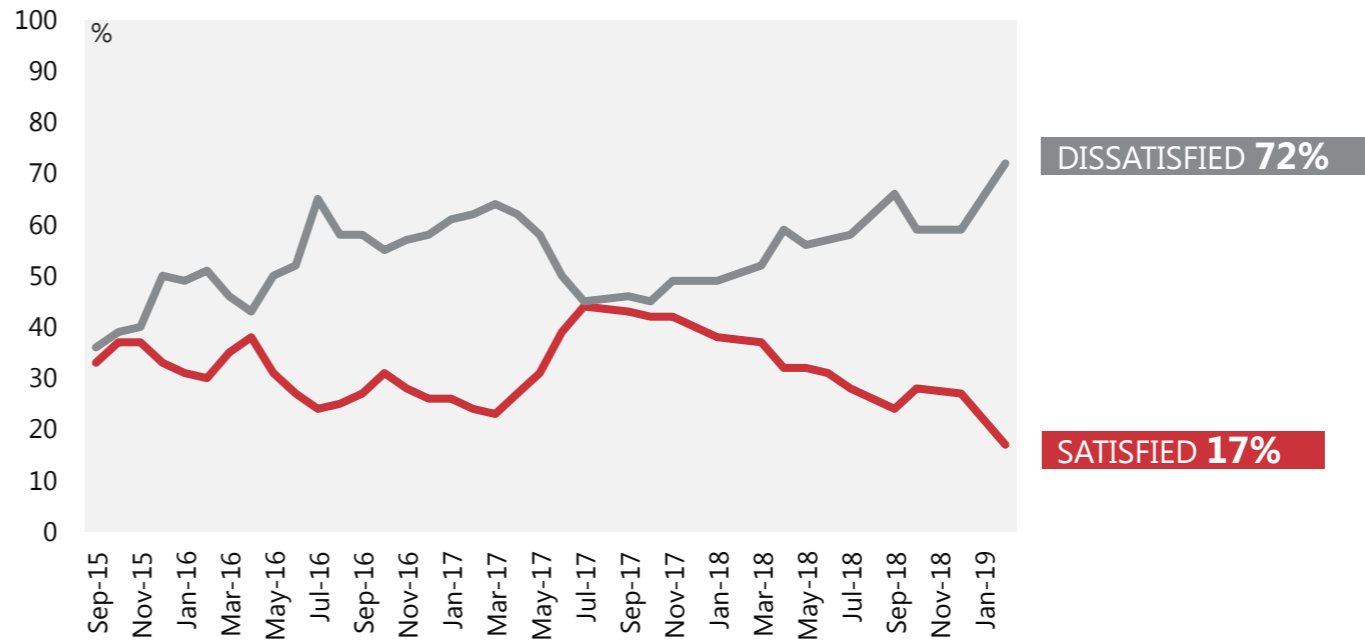
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NET = -55



September 2015 – February 2019



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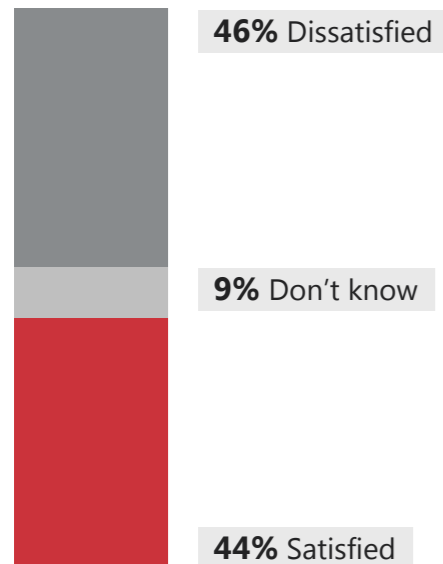
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# Jeremy Corbyn Satisfaction amongst Labour supporters

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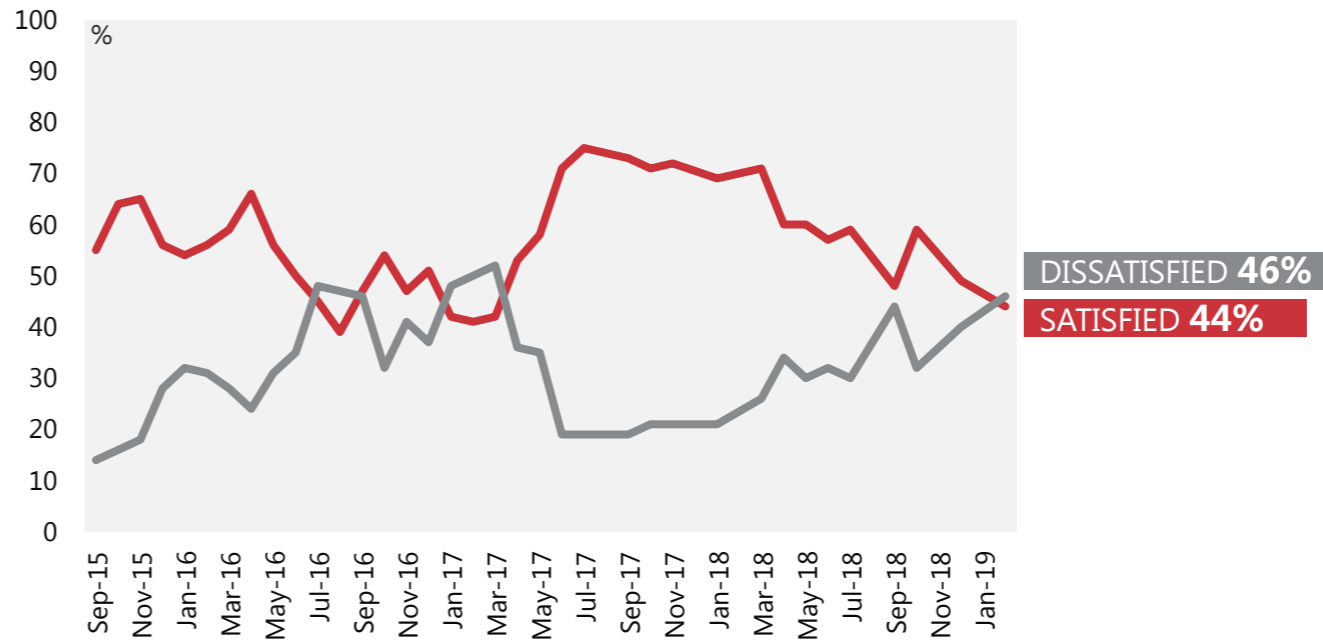
February 2019



NET = -2



September 2015 – February 2019



Base: 292 Labour supporters 18+ 1 February – 5 February 2019

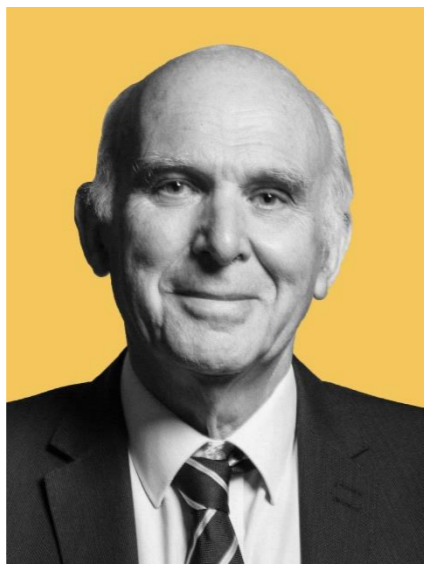
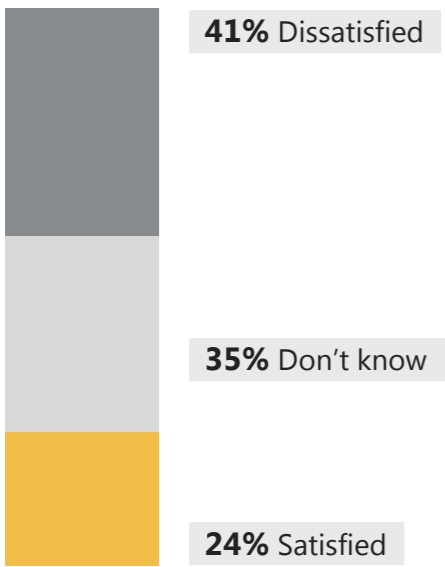
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# Vince Cable Satisfaction

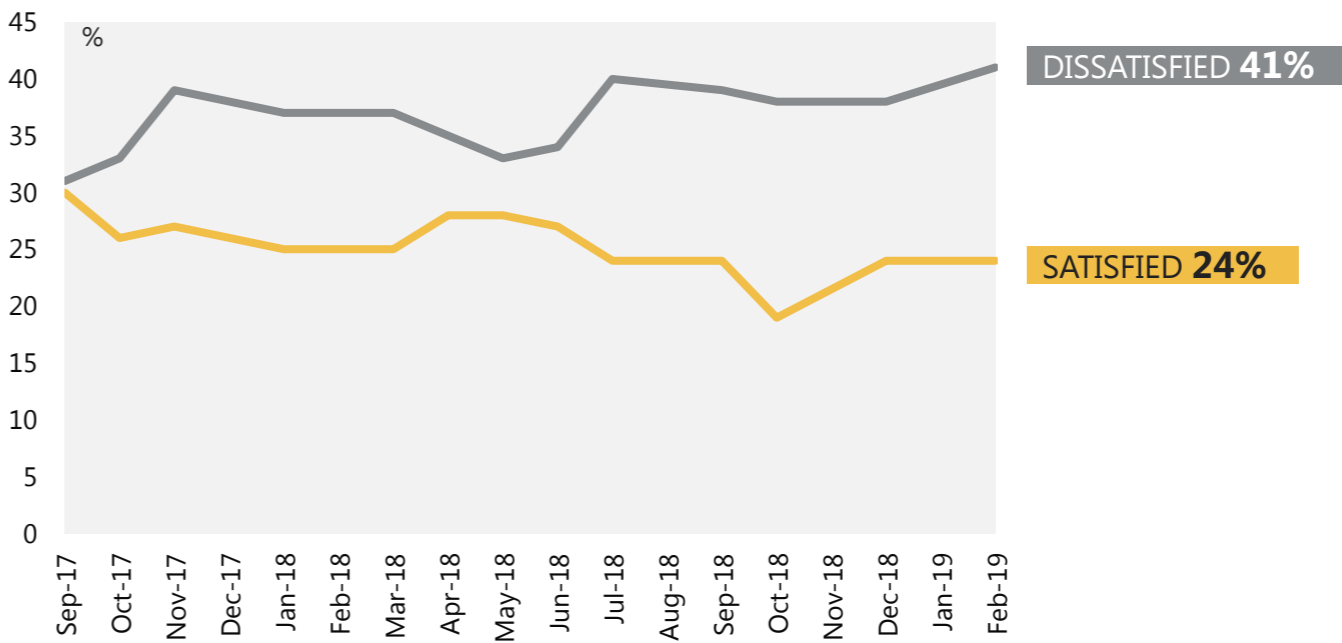
ARE YOU SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED WITH THE WAY VINCE CABLE IS DOING HIS JOB AS LEADER OF THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS?

February 2019



NET = -17

September 2017 – February 2019



Base: 1,005 British adults 18+ 1 February – 5 February 2019

Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor



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# ECONOMIC OPTIMISM

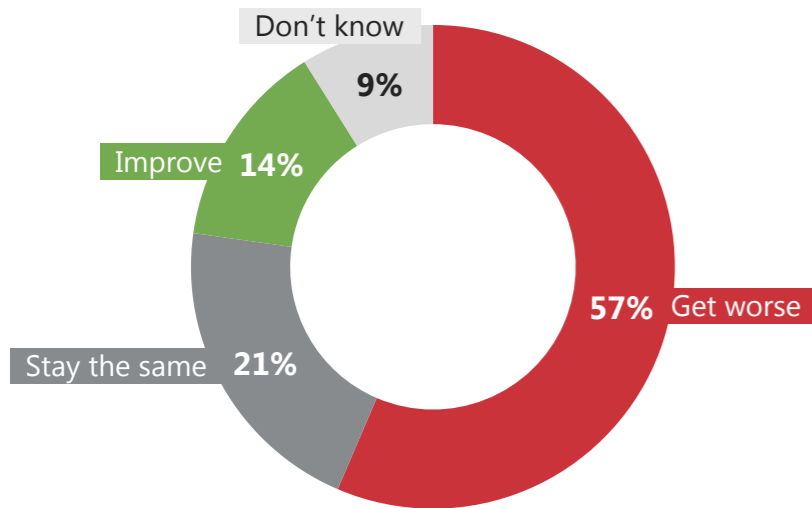


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# Economic Optimism Index

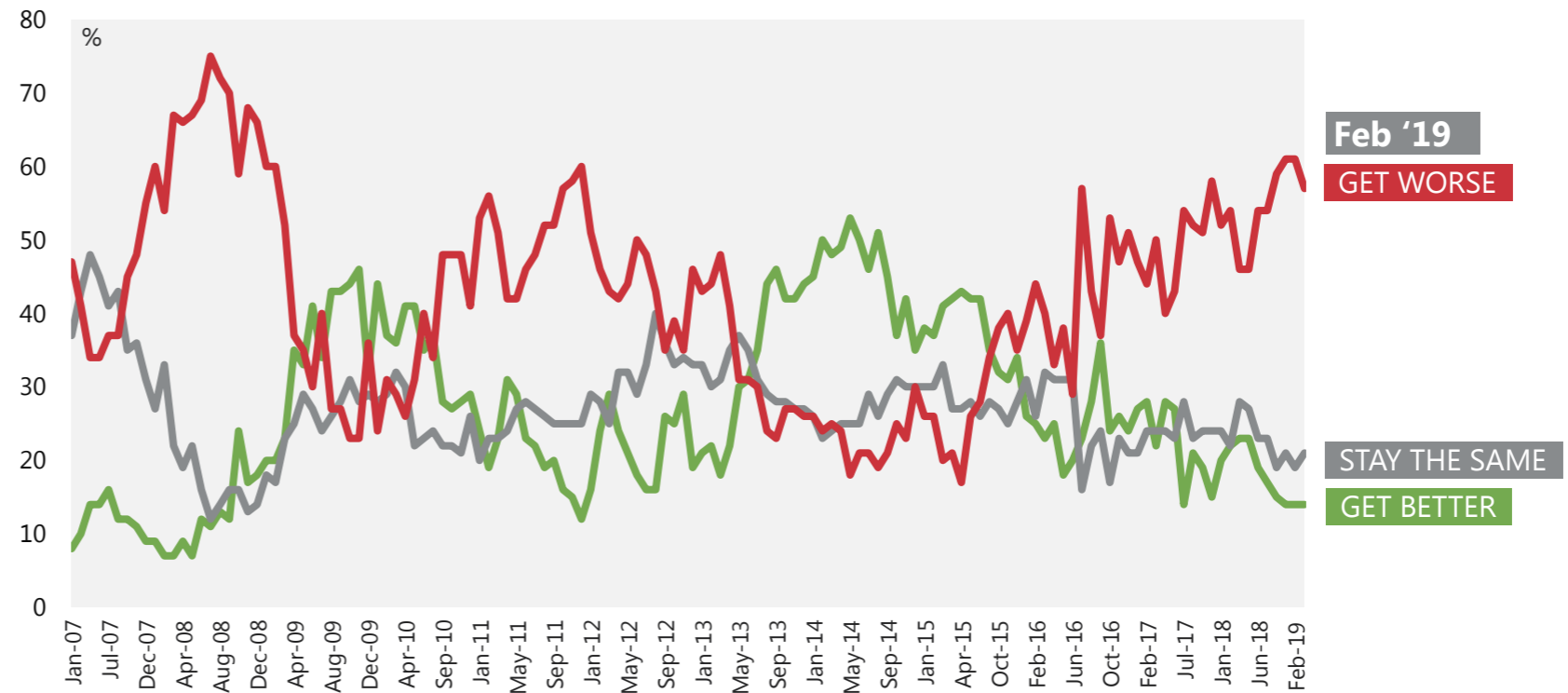
DO YOU THINK THAT THE GENERAL ECONOMIC CONDITION OF THE COUNTRY WILL IMPROVE, STAY THE SAME OR GET WORSE OVER THE NEXT 12 MONTHS?

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January 2007 – February 2019



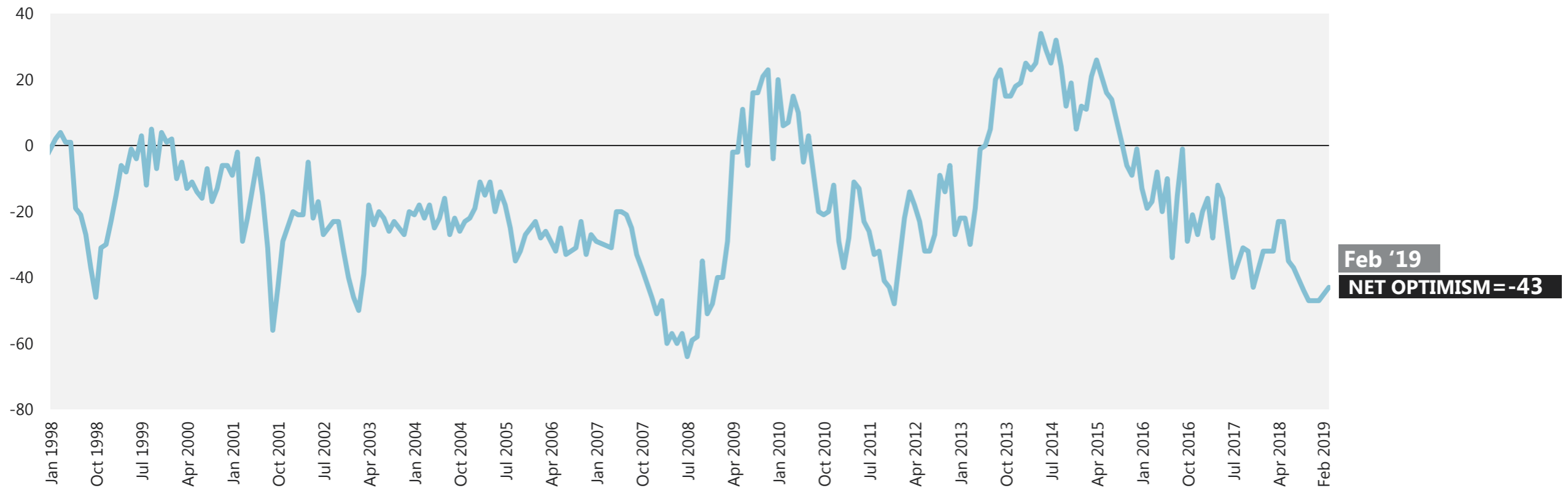
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Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor



# Economic Optimism Index – 1998-2019

DO YOU THINK THAT THE GENERAL ECONOMIC CONDITION OF THE COUNTRY WILL IMPROVE, STAY THE SAME OR GET WORSE OVER THE NEXT 12 MONTHS?



Base: c.1,000 British adults each month

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**BREXIT**

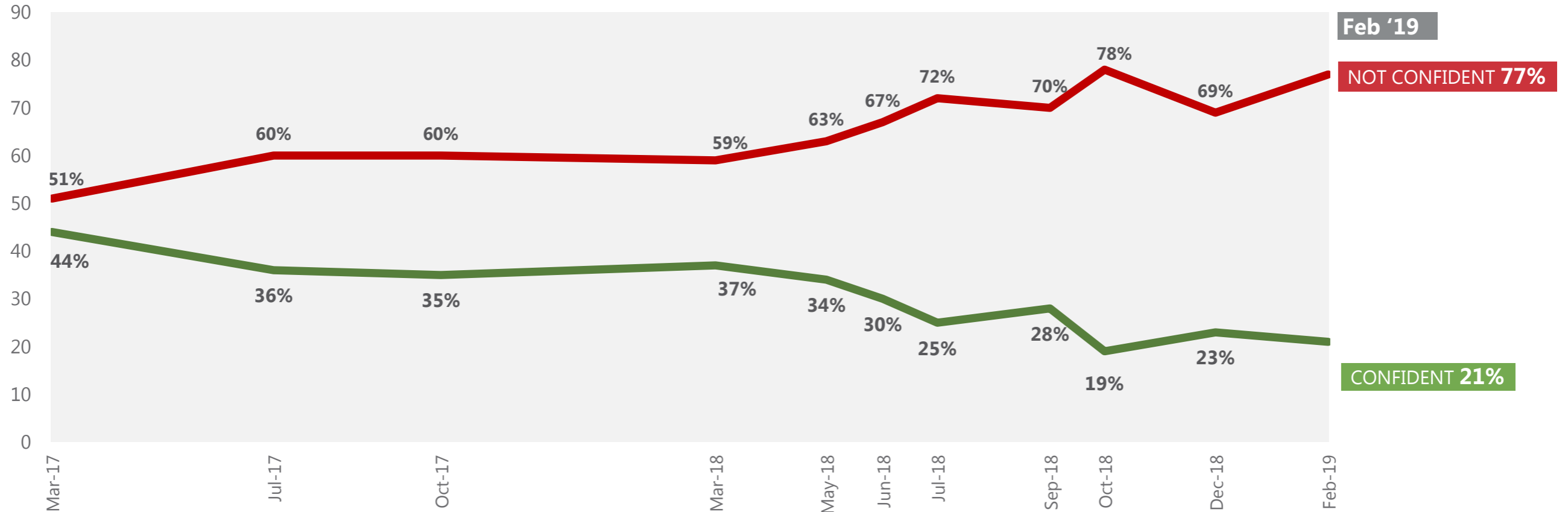


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# Confidence in May to get a good Brexit deal for Britain

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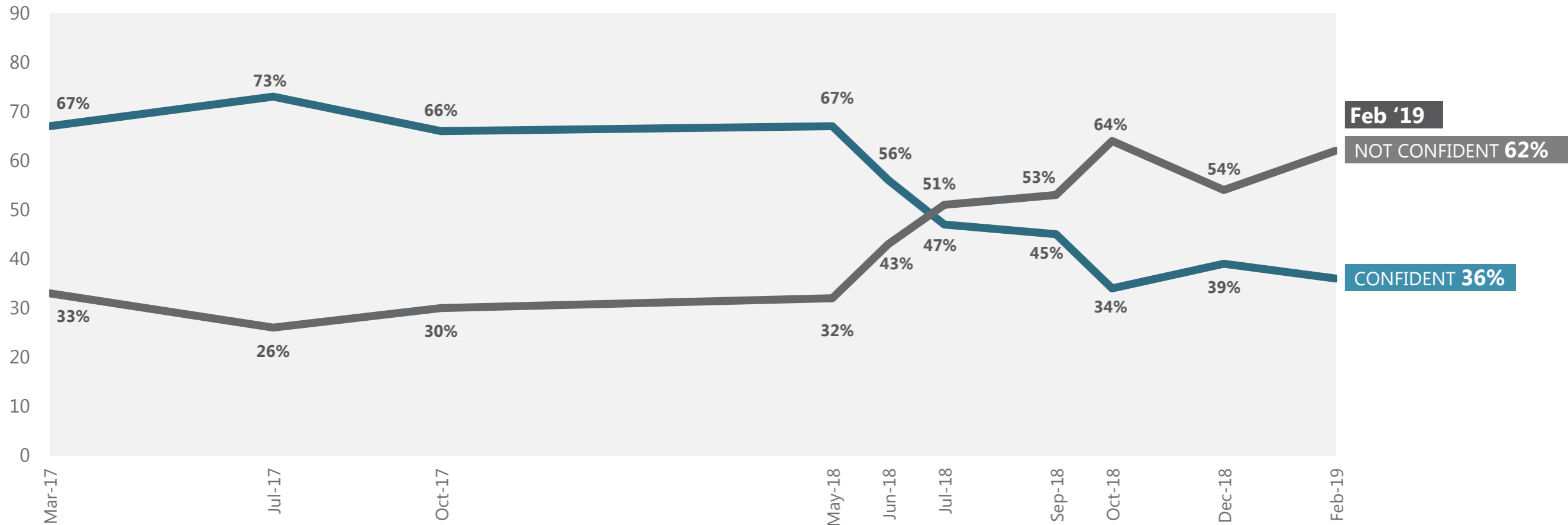
Base: c. 1,000 British adults 18+ each month  
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Source: Ipsos MORI Political Monitor



# Confidence in May to get a good deal for Britain | Among Conservative supporters

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Base: c. 350 Conservative party supporters each month  
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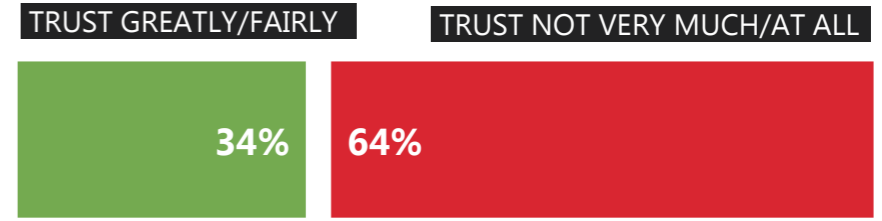


# Trust to make the right decisions for Britain's exit from the European Union

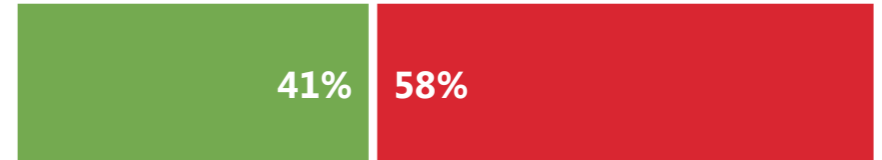
HOW MUCH, IF AT ALL, DO YOU TRUST EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TO MAKE THE RIGHT DECISIONS FOR BRITAIN ABOUT ITS EXIT FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION?



Theresa May  
(February 2019)



Theresa May  
(July 2018)



Jeremy Corbyn  
(February 2019)



Jeremy Corbyn  
(July 2018)



MPs as a whole  
(February 2019)



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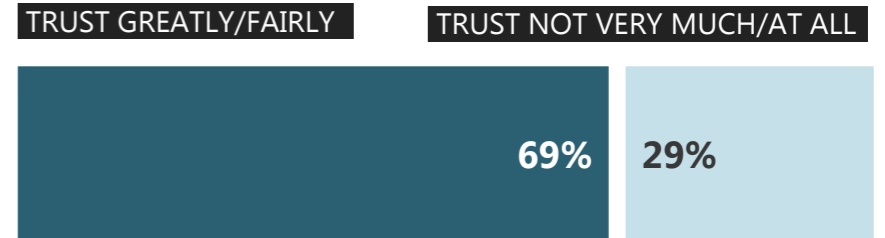
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## By party support

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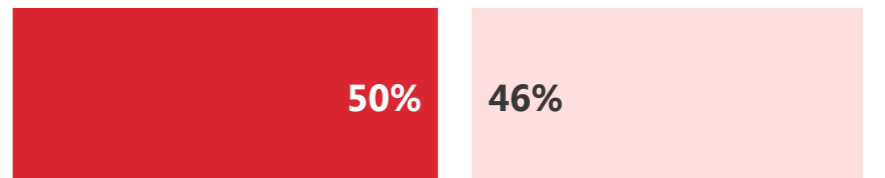
Theresa May  
(July 2018)



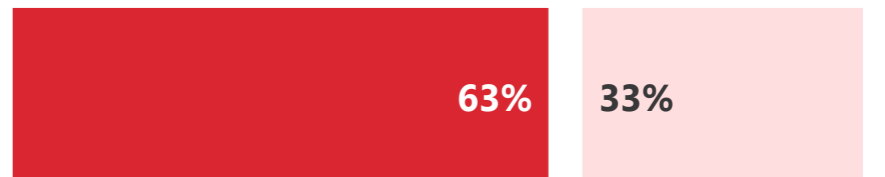
Conservative party supporters



Jeremy Corbyn  
(February 2019)



Jeremy Corbyn  
(July 2018)



Labour party supporters

Base: 352 Conservative supporters, 292 Labour supporters, 1 February – 5 February 2019

# Leadership displayed in handling Britain's departure from the European Union

DO YOU THINK ... HAS PROVIDED  
STRONG OR WEAK LEADERSHIP  
WHEN HANDLING BRITAIN'S EXIT  
FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION?

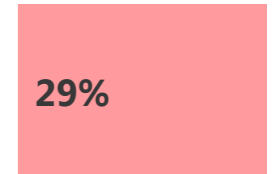


**Theresa May**

Theresa May  
Conservative  
supporters

**STRONG**

**WEAK**



**Jeremy Corbyn**

Jeremy Corbyn  
Labour  
supporters

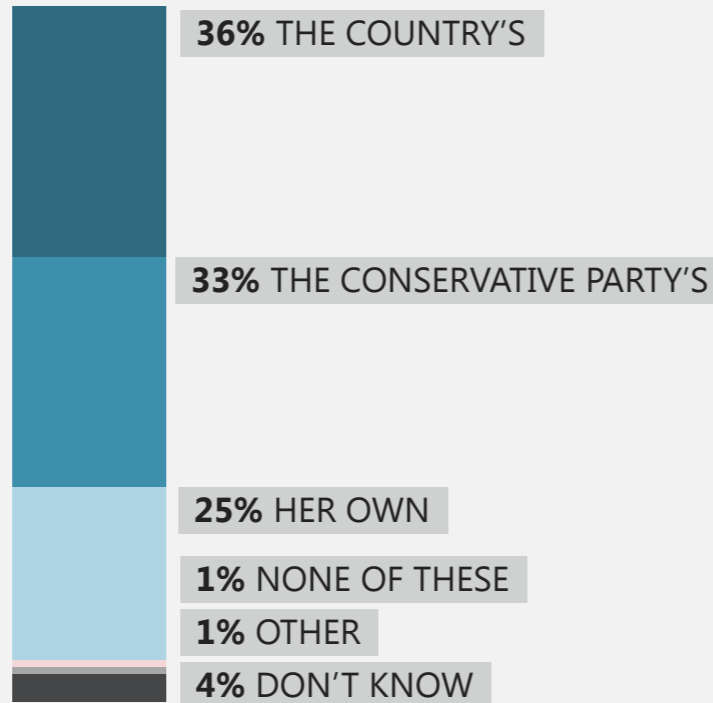


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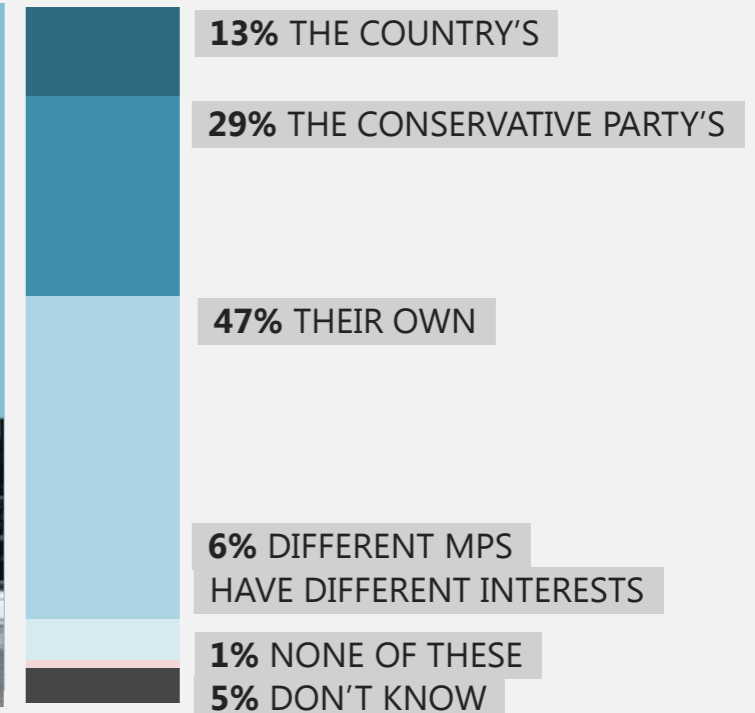
# Priorities when negotiating Britain's withdrawal from the European Union

WHEN THINKING ABOUT THE ONGOING NEGOTIATIONS ON BRITAIN'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION, WHOSE INTERESTS DO YOU THINK ... PUTS FIRST?

## Theresa May



## Conservative MPs



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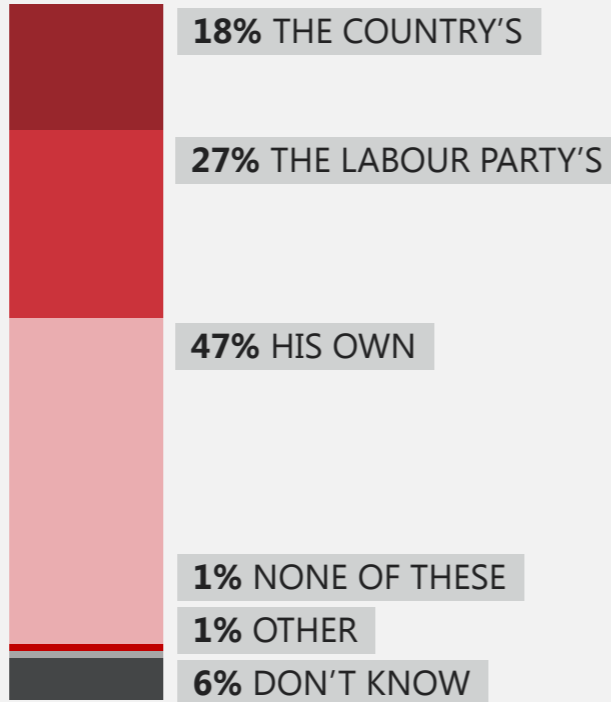
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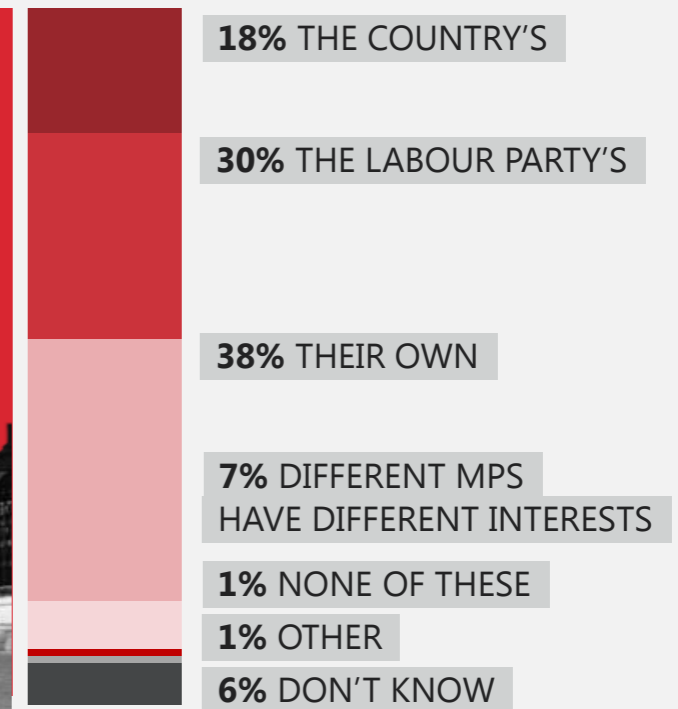
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## Jeremy Corbyn



## Labour MPs



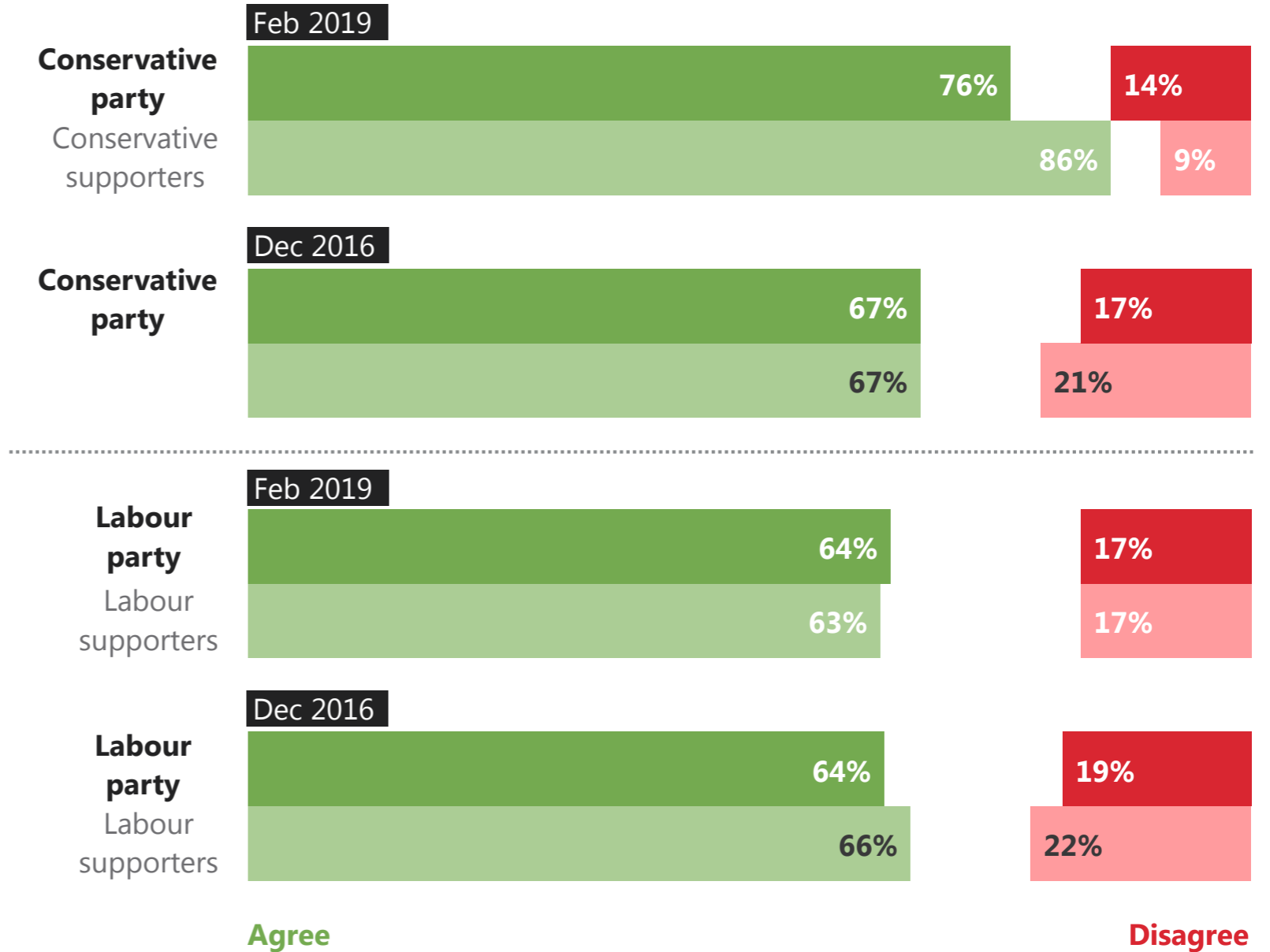
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# Internal party divisions on Britain's exit from the European Union

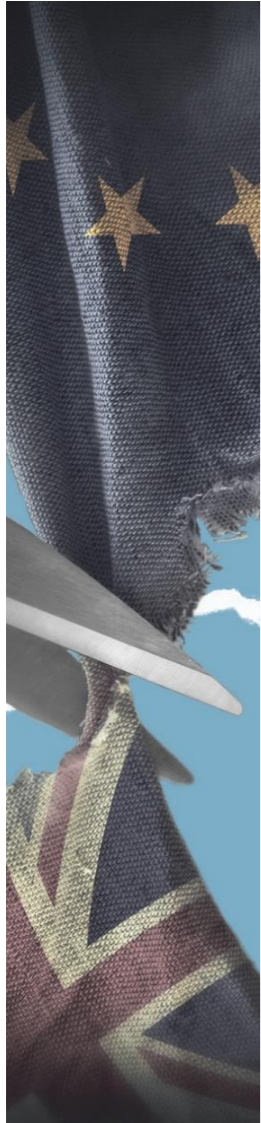
HOW STRONGLY DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?

The **Conservative party is divided** on how to handle Britain's exit from the European Union

The **Labour party is divided** on how to handle Britain's exit from the European Union

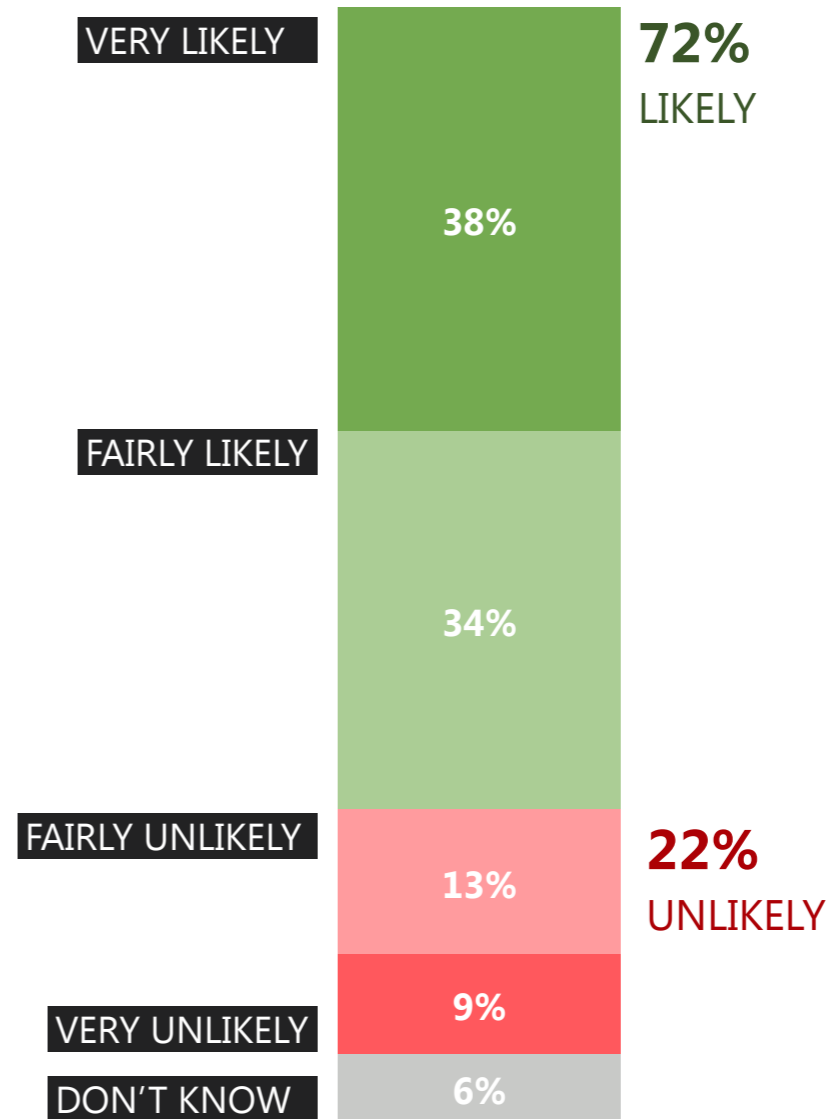


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# Likelihood of Brexit being delayed

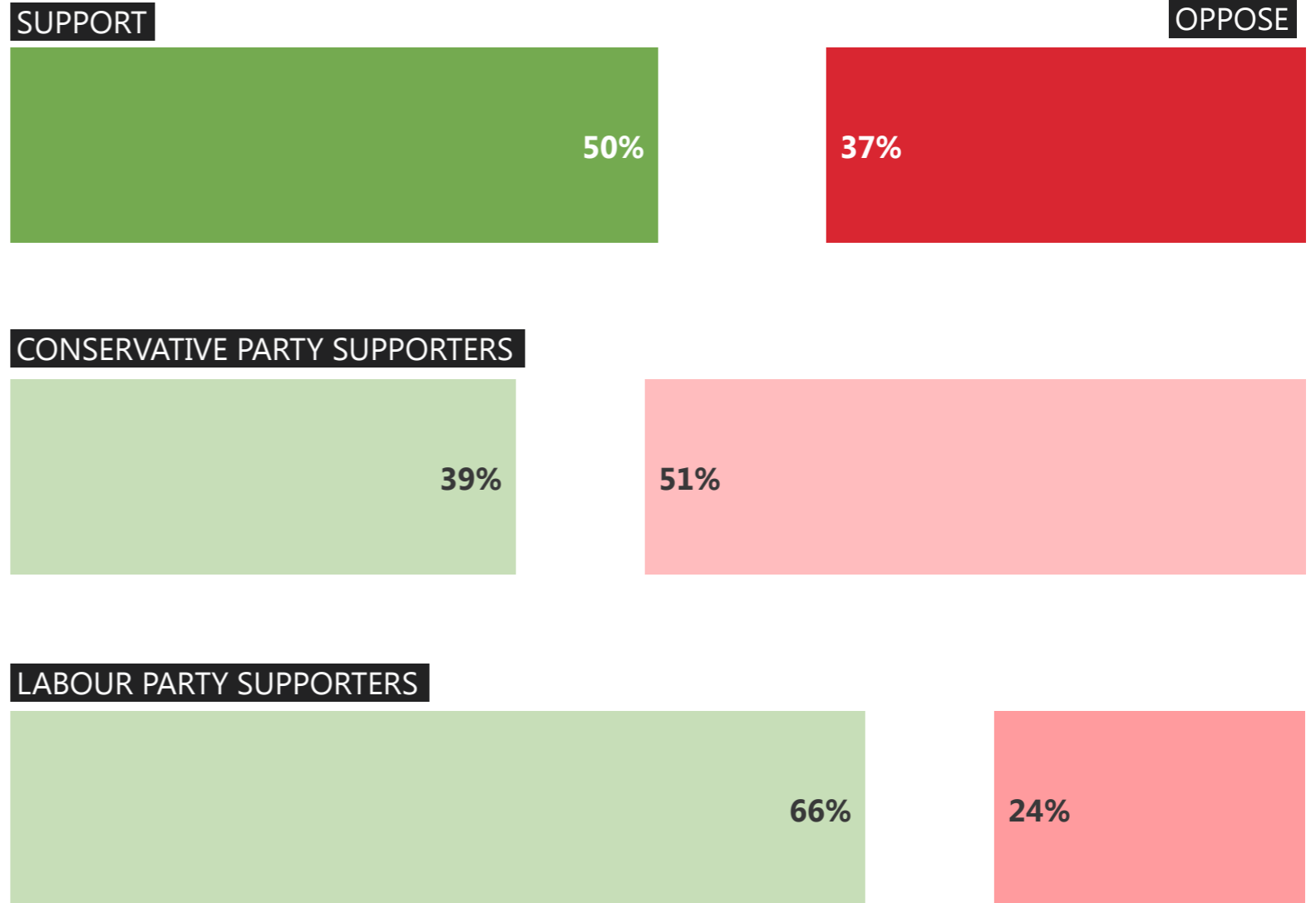
AS YOU MAY KNOW BRITAIN IS SET TO LEAVE THE EUROPEAN UNION ON THE 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH. IN YOUR OPINION, HOW LIKELY OR UNLIKELY DO YOU THINK IT IS THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL ASK TO DELAY BRITAIN'S EXIT FROM THE EU TO AFTER THIS DATE?



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# Public opinion on delaying Britain's departure from the European Union

AND HOW STRONGLY, IF AT ALL, WOULD YOU SUPPORT OR OPPOSE DELAYING BRITAIN'S DEPARTURE FROM THE EU IF AN AGREEMENT ON THE TERMS OF BRITAIN'S EXIT FROM THE EU IS NOT REACHED BY THE 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH?

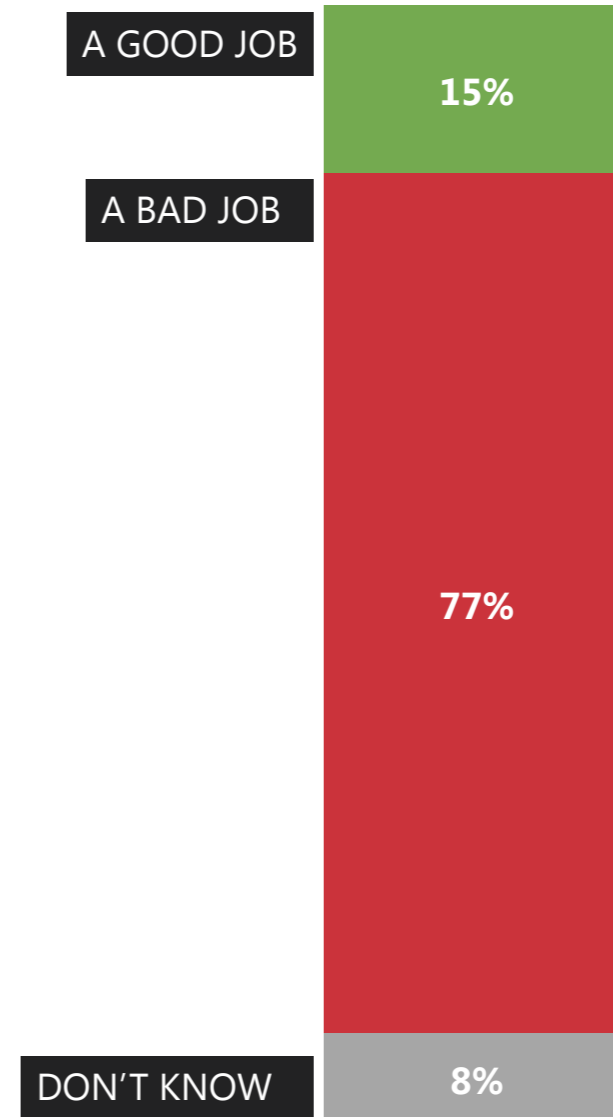


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# How well has the Government been preparing for leaving the European Union without a deal?

WHEN THINKING ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF BRITAIN LEAVING THE EU WITHOUT A DEAL, DO YOU THINK THE GOVERNMENT HAS DONE A GOOD JOB OR A BAD JOB PREPARING FOR THIS SITUATION?



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