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| 0012 Q2. In general, do you think that the following groups are trustworthy or untrustworthy? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy. - The scientists advising the UK government on the actions it should take to deal with the Coronavirus, or COVID-19 | All Adults aged 16+ in the UK |
| 0014 Q3. Over the last two weeks, would you say that the amount of scientific information that you have seen or heard in relation to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) has been ... ? | All Adults aged 16+ in the UK |
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| 0022 Q5. Which two or three of the following, if any, do you trust the most to provide reliable scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)? | All Adults aged 16+ in the UK |
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| | Total | Gender | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | | | Region | | | | | | | Urban / Rural | |
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| | Total | Male | Female | 16-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | 16-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-75 | 76+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | ABC1 | C2DE | North | Midlands | South | London | Wales | Scotland | Northern Ireland | Urban | Rural | |
| | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) | (W) | (X) | (Y) | (Z) | (a) | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 | |
| The benefits of science to the UK are much greater than any harmful effects (2) | 340 29% C | 202 35% AC | 137 23% | 108 31% G | 108 29% | 124 28% | 38 24% | 69 36% ADG | 56 31% | 53 27% | 90 27% | 33 10% | 97 31% | 98 29% | 78 32% | 66 24% | 195 30% | 145 28% P | 70 26% | 87 29% | 78 30% | 46 30% | 21 37% * | 31 31% * | 8 24% ** | 275 28% | 65 34% | |
| The benefits of science to the UK are, on the whole, greater than any harmful effects (1) | 417 36% E | 194 34% | 220 37% | 114 32% | 113 30% | 190 43% ADEHU | 53 34% | 61 31% | 53 29% | 60 31% | 137 41% DEHU | 53 49% DEHU* | 117 38% | 131 38% | 85 35% | 84 30% | 248 38% AP | 169 32% | 112 41% | 106 36% | 89 34% | 50 32% | 21 38% * | 32 33% * | 7 22% ** | 341 35% | 76 40% | |
| Science generally has roughly equal benefits and harmful effects for the UK (0) | 186 16% | 85 15% | 99 17% | 53 15% | 68 18% | 65 15% | 29 18% | 25 13% | 35 19% | 33 17% | 52 16% | 13 12% * | 44 14% | 48 14% | 36 15% | 57 21% AQ | 92 14% | 93 18% | 32 12% | 56 19% S | 43 17% | 18 12% | 10 18% * | 17 17% * | 10 29% ** | 164 17% | 22 11% | |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are, on the whole, greater than any benefits (-1) | 37 3% E | 18 3% | 18 3% | 23 7% AEFHUK | 5 1% | 8 2% | 20 13% ADEFHUKL | 4 2% | 1 1% | 4 2% | 8 2% | - * | 10 3% | 14 4% O | 1 * | 13 5% OR | 23 4% | 14 3% O | 8 3% | 9 3% | 7 3% | 9 6% | 1 1% * | 4 4% * | - ** | 34 3% | 3 2% | |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are much greater than any benefits (-2) | 39 3% CN | 27 5% AC | 13 2% | 20 6% AFK | 11 3% | 8 2% | 9 6% FK | 11 6% FK | 5 3% | 6 3% | 6 2% | 2 2% * | 20 7% ANQR | 3 1% | 7 3% | 9 3% | 23 4% N | 16 3% | 9 3% | 5 2% | 11 4% | 9 6% T | 1 1% * | 4 4% * | 1 3% ** | 37 4% | 3 1% | |
| Don't know | 151 13% BDGMQ | 43 8% | 108 18% AB | 33 9% G | 69 18% ADFG | 49 11% | 8 5% | 25 13% DG | 30 17% DG | 39 20% ADFGKL | 42 12% G | 7 7% * | 20 7% | 47 14% MQ | 36 15% M | 48 17% AMQ | 67 10% M | 84 16% AMQ | 41 15% | 32 11% | 35 13% | 21 14% | 3 5% * | 11 11% * | 8 23% ** | 129 13% | 22 11% | |
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| NET: Beneficial | 757 65% CEJPRZ | 396 70% AC | 356 60% | 222 63% | 222 59% | 314 71% AEGUJK | 91 58% | 130 67% | 109 60% | 113 58% | 228 68% EI | 86 79% ADEGUJ* | 214 69% APR | 229 67% P | 163 67% P | 151 54% | 443 68% APR | 314 60% P | 182 67% | 193 65% | 166 63% | 95 63% | 42 74% * | 63 64% * | 15 45% ** | 616 63% | 141 74% AZ | |
| NET: Harmful | 76 7% EF | 45 8% | 31 5% | 44 12% AEFHUKL | 16 4% | 17 4% | 29 18% ADEFHUKL | 15 8% | 7 4% | 10 5% | 14 4% | 2 2% * | 30 10% ANOQ | 17 5% | 8 3% | 22 8% R | 47 7% N | 30 6% | 17 6% | 14 5% | 17 7% | 19 12% AT | 1 2% * | 8 8% * | 1 3% ** | 70 7% | 6 3% | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mean | 0.96 DGPZ | 1.00 | 0.93 | 0.83 G | 0.99 G | 1.04 DG | 0.62 | 1.02 DG | 1.02 G* | 0.97 G | 1.01 G | 1.14 G* | 0.91 | 1.04 P | 1.10 P* | 0.81 | 0.97 | 0.95 P | 0.98 | 0.99 | 0.95 | 0.86 * | 1.13 * | 0.94 * | 0.83 ** | 0.92 | 1.17 AZ* | |
| Standard deviation | 1.004 | 1.068 | 0.930 | 1.161 | 0.985 | 0.866 | 1.179 | 1.114 | 0.981 | 0.992 | 0.885 | 0.804 | 1.119 | 0.884 | 0.927 | 1.044 | 1.009 | 0.999 | 0.961 | 0.925 | 1.038 | 1.180 | 0.849 | 1.066 | 1.003 | 1.028 | 0.846 | |

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| | Total | Marital Status | | | Household Size | | | | Education | | | | | Employment status | | Income | | | | | Pres of children HH (17 or under) At least one child present AND Under 45 | |
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| | Total (A) | Married/ Living as Married (B) | Single (C) | Widowed/ Divorced/ Separated (D) | 1 (E) | 2 (F) | 3 (G) | 4+ (H) | GCSE/O Level/NV Q12 (I) | A Level or equivalent (J) | Degree/M asters/Ph D (K) | No formal qualificati ons (L) | Non- graduate (M) | Working (N) | Not working (O) | UP TO £19,999 (P) | £20,000- £34,999 (Q) | £35,000 - £54,999 (R) | £55,000+ (S) | Prefer not to say (T) | Under 45 (U) | Under 45 (V) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 653 | 387 | 130 | 220 | 424 | 250 | 276 | 323 | 276 | 497 | 74 | 673 | 684 | 486 | 315 | 307 | 274 | 164 | 110 | 234 | 338 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 675 | 351 | 144 | 222 | 461 | 236 | 251 | 383 | 312 | 377 | 98 | 793 | 674 | 496 | 321 | 326 | 267 | 140 | 117 | 219 | 313 |
| The benefits of science to the UK are much greater than any harmful effects (2) | 340 29% DLMT | 208 31% D | 104 30% | 28 19% + | 62 28% | 135 29% | 77 32% | 67 27% | 95 25% | 87 28% L | 145 38% AULM | 13 + * | 195 25% L | 203 30% | 137 28% | 80 25% | 93 28% | 89 33% T | 56 40% APQIT | 23 19% + | 63 29% | 100 32% |
| The benefits of science to the UK are, on the whole, greater than any harmful effects (1) | 417 36% CPU | 248 37% | 108 31% | 61 42% C+ | 78 35% | 178 39% | 76 32% | 85 34% | 117 31% | 120 38% | 148 39% I | 32 33% + | 269 34% | 236 35% | 181 36% | 96 30% | 123 38% | 98 37% | 50 36% | 51 44% P+ | 63 29% | 104 33% |
| Science generally has roughly equal benefits and harmful effects for the UK (0) | 186 16% K | 96 14% | 59 17% | 31 21% + | 39 18% | 71 15% | 45 19% | 31 13% | 73 19% | 46 15% | 45 12% K | 22 22% + | 141 18% | 113 17% | 73 15% | 67 21% AT | 47 14% | 40 15% | 20 14% | 12 10% + | 43 20% | 45 14% |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are, on the whole, greater than any benefits (-1) | 37 3% BF | 10 2% | 21 6% AB | 6 4% + | 4 2% | 7 1% | 8 3% | 19 8% AEF | 16 4% | 12 4% | 8 2% | 1 1% + | 30 4% K | 17 3% | 20 4% | 13 4% | 9 3% | 9 3% | 3 2% + | 9 3% + | 15 4% | 15 5% |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are much greater than any benefits (-2) | 39 13% KRS | 21 3% | 16 5% | 3 2% + | 6 3% | 14 3% | 9 4% | 9 4% | 11 3% | 12 4% | 10 3% | 7 7% + | 30 4% | 24 4% | 15 3% | 14 4% | 8 3% | 9 3% | 7 5% | 2 1% + | 12 6% | 13 4% |
| Don't know | 151 13% | 92 14% | 43 12% | 16 11% + | 34 15% | 56 12% | 22 9% | 40 16% G | 70 18% AIK | 36 11% K | 22 6% | 23 23% AIK* | 129 16% AIK | 80 12% | 71 14% | 50 16% RS | 46 14% S | 22 8% | 6 4% | 27 23% ARS* | 29 13% | 34 11% |

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| NET: Beneficial | 757 65% CLMPU | 456 68% AC | 212 60% | 89 62% + | 139 63% | 313 68% | 153 65% | 152 60% | 212 55% | 207 66% ILM | 292 78% AULM | 45 46% + | 464 59% | 439 65% | 318 64% | 176 55% | 215 66% P | 187 70% P | 105 75% AP | 74 63% + | 126 57% | 205 65% |
| NET: Harmful | 76 7% BK | 31 5% | 37 10% AB | 9 6% + | 10 4% | 21 5% | 17 7% | 28 11% AEF | 28 7% | 23 7% | 17 5% | 8 8% + | 59 7% | 42 6% | 35 7% | 28 9% | 17 5% | 18 7% | 9 6% | 5 4% + | 21 10% | 29 9% A |

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| Mean | 0.96 CMP | 1.05 AC | 0.85 | 0.82 + | 0.98 | 1.02 | 0.94 | 0.85 | 0.86 | 0.94 | 1.16 AULM | 0.58 ** | 0.86 | 0.97 | 0.95 | 0.79 | 1.01 | 1.02 | 1.08 P | 1.00 + | 0.82 | 0.94 |
| Standard deviation | 1.004 | 0.953 | 1.117 | 0.905 | 0.954 | 0.946 | 1.052 | 1.100 | 1.029 | 1.014 | 0.920 | 1.080 | 1.032 | 1.010 | 0.997 | 1.086 | 0.944 | 1.000 | 1.038 | 0.832 | 1.142 | 1.084 |

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| | Total | Benefit and harm of science | | | | | Sources of scientific information | | | | | | | | Most trustworthy sources | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | Beneficial | Harmful/a mbivalent | Major news broadcast ers | Newspape rs or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | Radio | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programm es | Social media | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Governme nt | Major news broadcast ers | Newspape rs or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | Radio | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programm es | Social media | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Governme nt | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | | | | | |
| The benefits of science to the UK are much greater than any harmful effects (2) | 340 29% C | 340 45% AC | - - | 217 32% A | 134 35% A | 67 33% A | 77 30% ADEFGJL | 59 50% A | 54 27% A | 109 35% A | 29 34% + | 179 31% A | 192 34% A | 67 38% AD | 16 20% + | 48 37% O | 136 41% AMQU | 24 29% + | 28 37% O* | 14 31% + | 150 30% A | | | | | |
| The benefits of science to the UK are, on the whole, greater than any harmful effects (1) | 417 36% CT | 417 55% AC | - - | 275 40% A | 162 43% AHJ | 71 35% H | 106 42% H | 37 31% A | 73 37% A | 112 36% + | 31 36% + | 234 41% AH | 226 40% AT | 72 41% T | 24 30% + | 58 45% AT | 127 38% T | 31 37% + | 25 32% + | 8 19% + | 196 39% T | | | | | |
| Science generally has roughly equal benefits and harmful effects for the UK (0) | 186 16% BHQ | - - | 186 71% AB | 107 16% H | 50 13% H | 31 15% H | 35 14% H | 9 8% EGHK | 43 21% H | 50 16% H | 9 10% + | 90 16% H | 78 14% A | 21 12% T | 15 19% + | 14 11% AT | 35 10% T | 14 17% + | 9 12% + | 9 21% + | 76 15% Q | | | | | |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are, on the whole, greater than any benefits (-1) | 37 3% BDEM | - - | 37 14% AB | 8 1% H | 4 1% H | 10 5% DE | 5 2% H | 4 3% H | 7 4% DE | 10 3% DE | 9 10% ADEGHUL* | 14 2% D | 10 2% H | 7 4% A | 12 15% AMNPQU* | 2 1% T | 5 2% H | 5 6% MQ* | 9 12% AMNPQU* | 6 13% AMNPQU* | 11 2% H | | | | | |
| The harmful effects of science on the UK are much greater than any benefits (-2) | 39 3% BM | - - | 39 15% AB | 20 3% H | 11 3% H | 10 5% H | 14 5% DL | 7 6% H | 7 4% H | 14 4% H | 4 4% + | 16 3% H | 12 2% H | 3 2% H | 8 10% AMNPQU* | 2 2% H | 9 3% H | 1 1% + | 3 4% + | 6 13% AMNPQU* | 15 3% H | | | | | |
| Don't know | 151 13% BCDEFGHJLMNPQU | - - | - - | 57 8% EH | 20 5% H | 13 6% H | 18 7% H | 3 3% H | 14 7% H | 20 6% H | 5 6% + | 35 6% H | 47 8% H | 8 5% H | 6 7% + | 5 4% H | 23 7% H | 8 9% + | 3 4% + | 2 3% + | 50 10% NP | | | | | |

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| NET: Beneficial | 757 65% CD | 757 100% AC | - - | 493 72% AI | 297 78% ADFGJL | 139 68% A | 182 72% A | 96 81% ADQU | 127 64% A | 222 70% A | 60 70% + | 413 73% AI | 418 74% ADQU | 138 78% ADQU | 40 50% + | 107 82% AMORSTU | 263 78% ADQU | 55 66% + | 53 69% OT* | 22 49% + | 346 69% ADT |
| NET: Harmful | 76 7% BDEM | - 29% AB | 76 4% H | 28 4% H | 15 4% H | 20 10% DEL | 19 7% DE | 10 9% DE | 15 7% H | 23 7% DE | 12 14% ADEL* | 31 5% H | 22 4% H | 10 6% H | 20 25% AMNPQRU* | 4 3% H | 14 4% H | 6 7% + | 12 16% AMNPQUL* | 12 26% AMNPQRU* | 26 5% H |

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| Mean | 0.96 COT | 1.45 AC | -0.44 | 1.05 AI | 1.12 AFGI | 0.93 | 0.96 | 1.19 AFGI | 0.87 | 1.00 | 0.90 + | 1.02 | 1.11 ADT | 1.14 ADT | 0.38 + | 1.19 ADT | 1.20 AOSTU | 0.96 OT* | 0.89 O* | 0.42 + | 1.01 OT |
| Standard deviation | 1.004 | 0.498 | 0.741 | 0.924 | 0.901 | 1.091 | 1.043 | 1.103 | 1.014 | 1.046 | 1.141 | 0.942 | 0.891 | 0.912 | 1.275 | 0.831 | 0.917 | 0.946 | 1.166 | 1.421 | 0.954 |

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Q2. In general, do you think that the following groups are trustworthy or untrustworthy? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy. - Summary
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| | i.e. in general, do you think that the following groups are trustworthy or untrustworthy? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy. | |
| | scientists advising the UK government on the actions it should take to deal with the Coronavirus | |
| | Scientists (A) | % of COVID-19 (B) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 1170 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 1170 |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 249 21% | 232 20% |
| 2 (4) | 438 37% | 409 35% |
| 3 (3) | 271 23% | 281 24% |
| 4 (2) | 128 11% | 150 13% |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% | 33 3% |
| Don't know | 52 4% | 65 6% |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 687 59% n | 641 55% n |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 160 14% | 183 16% |

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| Mean | 3.66 n | 3.59 |
| Standard deviation | 1.035 | 1.054 |

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Q2. In general, do you think that the following groups are trustworthy or untrustworthy? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy. - Scientists

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| | Total | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | Region | | | | | | Urban / Rural | | |
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| | Total | Male | Female | 16-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | 16-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-75 | 76+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | ABC1 | C2DE | North | Midlands | South | London | Wales | Scotland | Northern Ireland | Urban | Rural |
| | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) | (W) | (X) | (Y) | (Z) | (a) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 249 21% J | 136 24% 19% | 113 19% AEJ | 91 26% AEJ | 68 18% 18% | 90 20% 20% | 43 28% AEJK | 48 25% J | 37 21% 21% | 31 16% 16% | 63 19% 19% | 27 25% + | 79 26% AR | 73 21% 21% | 46 19% 19% | 51 19% 19% | 152 23% A | 97 19% 19% | 61 23% 23% | 66 22% 22% | 55 21% 21% | 30 19% 19% | 11 20% + | 20 20% + | 5 15% ** | 220 22% A | 29 15% 15% |
| 2 (4) | 438 37% DG | 211 37% 38% | 224 38% 32% | 113 32% G | 140 37% G | 185 42% DG | 39 25% 25% | 74 38% DG | 63 35% 35% | 77 40% G | 141 42% DG | 44 40% + | 113 37% 37% | 139 41% 41% | 88 36% 36% | 97 35% 35% | 252 39% 39% | 186 36% 36% | 95 35% 35% | 113 38% 38% | 94 36% 36% | 59 39% 39% | 26 46% + | 43 43% + | 9 26% ** | 354 36% 36% | 84 44% 44% |
| 3 (3) | 271 23% B | 115 20% 20% | 152 26% 26% | 75 21% 21% | 88 24% 24% | 107 24% 24% | 35 22% 22% | 41 21% 21% | 44 24% 24% | 45 23% 23% | 87 26% 26% | 21 19% + | 71 23% 23% | 71 21% 21% | 60 25% 25% | 69 25% 25% | 142 22% 22% | 130 25% 25% | 59 22% 22% | 73 25% 25% | 56 22% 22% | 39 25% 25% | 10 18% + | 24 24% + | 10 29% ** | 233 24% 24% | 39 20% 20% |
| 4 (2) | 128 11% CFKX | 76 13% AC | 51 9% 9% | 48 14% FHK | 47 13% FK | 32 7% 7% | 31 20% ADEFHKL | 17 9% 9% | 22 12% 12% | 25 13% F | 24 7% 7% | 8 7% + | 33 11% 11% | 30 9% 9% | 27 11% 11% | 38 14% 14% | 63 10% 10% | 65 12% 12% | 37 14% X | 28 9% 9% | 35 13% X | 14 9% 9% | 7 13% X* | 3 3% + | 3 10% ** | 104 11% 11% | 23 12% 12% |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% 3% | 20 4% 4% | 12 2% 2% | 15 4% 4% | 10 3% 3% | 8 2% 2% | 7 4% 4% | 8 4% 4% | 6 4% 4% | 3 2% 2% | 6 2% 2% | 2 2% + | 10 3% 3% | 12 3% 3% | 5 2% 2% | 6 2% 2% | 22 3% 3% | 11 2% 2% | 5 2% 2% | 7 2% 2% | 10 4% 4% | 3 2% 2% | 1 2% + | 2 2% + | 3 10% ** | 28 3% 3% | 5 2% 2% |
| Don't know | 52 4% BDGMQ | 10 2% 2% | 42 7% AB | 9 3% 3% | 21 6% G | 21 5% 5% | 2 1% 1% | 8 4% 4% | 8 4% 4% | 13 7% DG | 15 4% 4% | 6 6% + | 3 1% 1% | 16 5% MQ | 17 7% MQ | 16 6% M | 19 3% M | 33 6% MQ | 13 5% 5% | 9 3% 3% | 11 4% 4% | 8 5% 5% | - - + | 6 7% + | 4 10% ** | 41 4% 4% | 11 6% 6% |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 687 59% R | 347 61% 61% | 337 57% 57% | 204 58% 58% | 208 55% 55% | 275 62% 62% | 82 53% 53% | 122 62% 62% | 100 55% 55% | 108 56% 56% | 204 61% 61% | 71 65% * | 192 62% 62% | 212 62% 62% | 134 55% 55% | 149 54% 54% | 404 62% APR | 283 54% 54% | 156 58% 58% | 179 61% 61% | 149 57% 57% | 89 58% 58% | 37 66% * | 63 64% * | 14 41% ** | 574 59% 59% | 113 59% 59% |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 160 14% CFKX | 97 17% AC | 63 11% 11% | 63 18% AFHK | 57 15% FK | 40 9% 9% | 38 24% ADEFHKL | 25 13% 13% | 29 16% FK | 28 15% 15% | 30 9% 9% | 10 10% * | 42 14% 14% | 42 12% 12% | 32 13% 13% | 44 16% 16% | 85 13% 13% | 76 15% 15% | 43 16% X | 35 12% 12% | 45 17% X | 17 11% 11% | 9 15% * | 5 5% * | 7 19% ** | 132 13% 13% | 28 15% 15% |

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| Mean | 3.66 | 3.65 | 3.68 | 3.64 | 3.59 | 3.75 G | 3.53 | 3.73 | 3.59 | 3.59 | 3.72 | 3.84 * | 3.72 | 3.71 | 3.63 | 3.58 | 3.71 | 3.60 | 3.66 | 3.71 | 3.59 | 3.68 | 3.69 * | 3.82 * | 3.31 ** | 3.68 | 3.61 |
| Standard deviation | 1.035 | 1.098 | 0.974 | 1.143 | 1.031 | 0.939 | 1.213 | 1.078 | 1.079 | 0.986 | 0.924 | 0.985 | 1.062 | 1.031 | 1.007 | 1.033 | 1.046 | 1.020 | 1.058 | 1.005 | 1.101 | 0.980 | 1.011 | 0.901 | 1.208 | 1.044 | 0.993 |

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| | | Married/ Living as Married | Single | Widowed/ Divorced/ Separated | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | GCSE/O Level/NV Q12 | A Level or equivalent | Degree/M asters/Ph D | No formal qualificati ons | Non- graduate | Working | Not working | UP TO £19,999 | £20,000- £34,999 | £35,000 - £54,999 | £55,000+ | Prefer not to say | At least one child present AND Under 45 | No children present AND Under 45 |
| | Total | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 653 | 387 | 130 | 220 | 424 | 250 | 276 | 323 | 276 | 497 | 74 | 673 | 684 | 486 | 315 | 307 | 274 | 164 | 110 | 234 | 338 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 675 | 351 | 144 | 222 | 461 | 236 | 251 | 383 | 312 | 377 | 98 | 793 | 674 | 496 | 321 | 326 | 267 | 140 | 117 | 219 | 313 |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 249 21% IMU | 130 19% AB | 90 26% AB | 30 21% * | 45 20% | 109 24% | 50 21% | 46 18% | 65 17% | 60 19% | 104 28% AJUM | 20 20% * | 145 18% | 153 23% | 96 19% | 62 19% | 72 22% | 63 24% | 33 24% | 18 16% * | 34 16% | 94 30% AU |
| 2 (4) | 438 37% CV | 279 41% AC | 114 33% | 44 31% * | 88 40% | 171 37% | 89 38% | 90 36% | 145 38% | 114 37% | 154 41% L | 25 26% * | 284 36% | 252 37% | 186 37% | 108 34% | 118 36% | 109 41% | 55 40% | 47 40% * | 75 34% | 101 32% |
| 3 (3) | 271 23% KSV | 143 21% AB | 80 23% | 47 33% AB* | 53 24% | 102 22% | 54 23% | 63 25% | 100 26% K | 80 26% K | 59 16% | 32 32% K* | 212 27% AK | 155 23% | 116 23% | 91 28% AS | 86 26% S | 53 20% | 19 14% | 22 19% * | 63 29% V | 56 18% |
| 4 (2) | 128 11% | 69 10% | 44 12% | 15 10% * | 23 10% | 43 9% | 24 10% | 38 15% AF | 39 10% | 37 12% | 43 11% | 9 9% * | 84 11% | 74 11% | 53 11% | 34 11% | 32 10% | 23 9% | 26 19% APQR | 13 11% * | 29 13% | 42 13% |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% | 20 3% | 12 4% | - 10% * | 3 1% | 10 2% | 11 5% | 8 3% | 12 3% | 14 4% | 7 2% | - 13% * | 25 5% 3% | 20 3% | 13 3% | 10 3% | 5 1% | 13 5% AQ | 3 2% | 1 1% * | 12 6% A | 9 3% |
| Don't know | 52 4% KNR | 33 5% | 11 3% | 8 5% * | 10 5% | 27 6% | 9 4% | 6 2% | 22 6% K | 7 2% | 10 3% | 12 13% AJKM* | 42 5% JK | 19 3% | 32 7% AN | 16 5% | 13 4% | 4 2% | 3 2% | 15 13% APQRS* | 7 3% | 10 3% |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 687 59% MPU | 409 61% | 204 58% | 74 51% * | 133 60% | 280 61% | 139 59% | 136 54% | 210 55% | 174 56% | 258 68% AJLM | 45 46% * | 429 54% | 405 60% | 282 57% | 170 53% | 191 59% | 172 65% P | 88 63% | 65 56% * | 109 50% | 195 62% U |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 160 14% | 89 13% | 56 16% | 15 10% * | 26 12% | 53 11% | 35 15% | 47 19% AF | 51 13% | 50 16% | 50 13% | 9 9% * | 110 14% | 94 14% | 66 13% | 44 14% | 36 11% | 37 14% | 29 21% AQ | 14 12% * | 41 19% A | 51 16% |

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| Mean | 3.66 HMU | 3.67 | 3.66 | 3.65 * | 3.70 | 3.75 H | 3.63 | 3.52 | 3.59 | 3.56 | 3.83 AJUM | 3.66 * | 3.58 | 3.68 | 3.64 | 3.59 | 3.71 | 3.71 | 3.65 | 3.67 * | 3.43 | 3.76 U |
| Standard deviation | 1.035 | 1.016 | 1.108 | 0.943 | 0.970 | 1.013 | 1.086 | 1.069 | 1.010 | 1.073 | 1.031 | 0.952 | 1.029 | 1.048 | 1.019 | 1.037 | 0.983 | 1.083 | 1.108 | 0.965 | 1.088 | 1.127 |

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| | | | | | Major news broadcast ers | Newspape rs or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programm es | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Governme nt | Major news broadcast ers | Newspape rs or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programm es | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Governme nt | | |
| | Total (A) | Beneficial (B) | Harmful/a mbivalent (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | | | |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 249 21% C | 212 28% AC | 27 10% A | 165 24% A | 103 27% AI | 46 23% A | 60 23% ADEFGIJKL | 49 41% A | 37 18% A | 75 24% A | 18 21% A | 145 25% A | 142 25% A | 44 25% A | 14 18% A | 34 26% A | 109 32% AMOU | 21 25% A | 19 24% A | 11 25% A | 114 23% A | | | |
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| 3 (3) | 271 23% BEHLMNPQU | 100 13% AB | 114 43% AB | 148 22% EH | 65 17% H | 52 26% EH | 53 21% H | 11 9% H | 46 23% H | 70 22% H | 25 29% EH* | 111 20% H | 92 16% A | 27 16% A | 32 40% AMNPQSU* | 19 14% A | 59 18% A | 19 23% A | 16 20% A | 11 24% A | 92 18% A | | | |
| 4 (2) | 128 11% A | 79 10% A | 38 15% A | 67 10% A | 42 11% A | 33 16% ADEGIL | 25 10% A | 14 12% A | 27 14% A | 33 11% A | 14 16% A | 57 10% A | 53 9% A | 16 9% A | 9 12% A | 12 10% A | 33 10% A | 12 15% A | 13 17% A | 10 22% AMNPQ* | 59 12% A | | | |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% D | 22 3% A | 8 3% A | 12 2% A | 6 1% A | 4 4% E | 8 3% A | 5 4% A | 2 1% A | 12 4% DE | 1 1% A | 16 3% A | 12 2% A | 5 3% A | 4 5% A | 2 1% A | 10 3% A | 1 1% A | 6 7% AMPU* | 1 1% A | 10 2% A | | | |
| Don't know | 52 4% BDEHLMQU | 7 1% A | 7 3% A | 18 3% L | 6 2% A | 4 2% A | 7 3% A | - - A | 4 2% A | 3 1% A | 1 1% A | 7 1% A | 14 3% Q | 3 2% A | - - A | 1 1% A | 2 1% A | 1 2% A | - - A | - - A | 7 1% A | | | |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 687 59% CO | 548 72% AC | 95 36% A | 440 64% AF | 263 69% AFUK | 107 53% A | 161 63% F | 89 75% ADFGIJK | 119 60% A | 196 62% F | 46 53% A | 377 66% AFK | 394 70% AOST | 126 71% AOST | 35 44% A | 96 74% AOST | 231 69% AOST | 49 60% A | 43 56% A | 24 52% A | 330 66% AO |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 160 14% D | 101 13% A | 47 18% A | 79 12% A | 47 12% A | 40 20% ADEL | 33 13% A | 19 16% A | 29 15% A | 45 14% A | 14 17% A | 73 13% A | 65 11% A | 21 12% A | 13 16% A | 14 11% A | 43 13% A | 13 16% A | 19 24% AMNPQ | 11 23% M* | 69 14% A |

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| Mean | 3.66 C | 3.85 AC | 3.26 AF | 3.77 AFUK | 3.83 AFUK | 3.53 AFUK | 3.73 ADFGUK | 3.96 ADFGUK | 3.64 ADFGUK | 3.69 ADFGUK | 3.58 * | 3.77 AF | 3.83 AOS | 3.82 OS | 3.40 * | 3.88 AOS | 3.86 AOS | 3.69 * | 3.49 * | 3.52 * | 3.74 O |
| Standard deviation | 1.035 | 1.039 | 0.950 | 0.992 | 0.999 | 1.126 | 1.040 | 1.162 | 0.977 | 1.070 | 1.019 | 1.033 | 0.990 | 1.010 | 1.062 | 0.955 | 1.073 | 1.049 | 1.239 | 1.135 | 1.010 |

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| | Total | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | | | Region | | | | | | Urban / Rural | | |
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| | Total (A) | Male (B) | Female (C) | 16-34 (D) | 35-54 (E) | 55+ (F) | 16-24 (G) | 25-34 (H) | 35-44 (I) | 45-54 (J) | 55-75 (K) | 76+ (L) | AB (M) | C1 (N) | C2 (O) | DE (P) | ABC1 (Q) | C2DE (R) | North (S) | Midlands (T) | South (U) | London (V) | Wales (W) | Scotland (X) | Northern Ireland (Y) | Urban (Z) | Rural (a) | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 | | |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 232 20% | 124 22% | 107 18% | 63 18% | 75 20% | 94 21% K | 32 20% | 31 16% | 39 22% | 36 18% | 61 18% | 32 30% H* | 69 22% | 66 19% | 48 20% | 49 18% | 135 21% | 97 19% | 53 19% | 65 22% | 57 22% | 24 16% | 13 23% * | 15 15% * | 5 15% ** | 187 19% | 45 24% | | |
| 2 (4) | 409 35% | 207 36% | 198 33% | 115 33% | 130 35% | 164 37% | 44 28% | 71 36% | 55 31% | 75 38% G | 126 37% | 38 35% * | 102 33% | 125 37% | 82 34% | 99 36% | 228 35% | 181 35% | 96 35% | 100 34% | 78 30% | 56 37% | 26 46% U* | 43 43% U* | 11 33% ** | 345 35% | 64 33% | | |
| 3 (3) | 281 24% | 122 22% | 157 26% | 93 27% | 89 24% | 99 22% | 45 29% | 48 25% | 46 26% | 43 22% | 80 24% | 18 17% * | 70 23% | 75 22% | 58 24% | 78 28% | 145 22% | 136 26% | 67 25% | 77 26% | 64 24% | 38 25% | 10 18% * | 17 17% * | 8 25% ** | 241 25% | 40 21% | | |
| 4 (2) | 150 13% | 75 13% | 74 12% | 52 15% | 51 14% | 47 11% | 25 16% L | 27 14% | 26 14% | 25 13% | 41 12% F | 6 5% * | 46 15% | 47 14% | 29 12% | 28 10% | 93 14% | 57 11% | 35 13% | 30 10% | 40 15% | 23 15% | 4 7% * | 15 15% * | 3 10% ** | 126 13% | 24 13% | | |
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| NET: Trustworthy | 641 55% | 331 58% AC | 305 51% | 178 51% | 205 55% | 258 58% | 76 48% | 102 52% | 95 53% | 110 57% | 187 56% | 71 65% G* | 171 55% | 192 56% | 130 54% | 148 53% | 363 56% | 278 53% | 148 55% | 165 56% | 135 51% | 80 52% | 38 68% U* | 58 59% * | 16 48% ** | 532 54% | 109 57% | | |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 183 16% | 97 17% | 85 14% | 67 19% AFL | 61 16% | 55 12% | 30 19% L | 37 19% | 32 18% | 29 15% | 47 14% | 8 7% * | 59 19% P | 54 16% | 37 15% | 33 12% | 113 17% | 70 13% | 45 16% | 35 12% | 48 18% | 27 18% | 5 8% * | 16 16% * | 7 20% ** | 156 16% | 27 14% | | |
| Mean | 3.59 D | 3.61 | 3.58 | 3.47 | 3.59 | 3.70 DGHK | 3.48 | 3.46 | 3.56 | 3.61 | 3.63 | 3.96 ADEGH* | 3.55 | 3.62 | 3.59 | 3.62 | 3.59 | 3.60 | 3.56 | 3.68 | 3.55 | 3.50 | 3.87 V* | 3.62 * | 3.36 ** | 3.57 | 3.71 | | |
| Standard deviation | 1.054 | 1.097 | 1.014 | 1.095 | 1.060 | 1.005 | 1.103 | 1.092 | 1.102 | 1.022 | 0.998 | 0.987 | 1.132 | 1.033 | 1.073 | 0.971 | 1.082 | 1.019 | 1.075 | 1.015 | 1.114 | 1.036 | 0.899 | 0.987 | 1.201 | 1.055 | 1.048 | | |

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| | | Married/ Living as Married | Single | Widowed/ Divorced/ Separated | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | GCSE/O Level/NV Q12 | A Level or equivalent | Degree/M asters/Ph D | No formal qualificati ons | Non- graduate | Working | Not working | UP TO £19,999 | £20,000- £34,999 | £35,000 - £54,999 | £55,000+ | Prefer not to say | At least one child present AND Under 45 | No children present AND Under 45 |
| | Total (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 653 | 387 | 130 | 220 | 424 | 250 | 276 | 323 | 276 | 497 | 74 | 673 | 684 | 486 | 315 | 307 | 274 | 164 | 110 | 234 | 338 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 675 | 351 | 144 | 222 | 461 | 236 | 251 | 383 | 312 | 377 | 98 | 793 | 674 | 496 | 321 | 326 | 267 | 140 | 117 | 219 | 313 |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 232 20% IM | 121 18% 23% | 79 23% 22% | 32 22% * | 52 24% | 97 21% | 40 17% | 42 17% | 60 16% | 53 17% | 96 25% AJM | 24 24% * | 136 17% | 130 19% | 102 21% | 62 19% | 63 19% | 60 22% | 23 17% | 24 21% * | 33 15% | 69 22% |
| 2 (4) | 409 35% LU | 252 37% 33% | 117 33% 28% | 40 28% * | 77 35% | 167 36% | 83 35% | 81 32% | 124 32% | 119 38% LM | 148 39% AL | 19 19% * | 261 33% L | 237 35% | 171 35% | 112 35% | 123 38% | 88 33% | 54 39% | 31 27% * | 61 28% | 109 35% |
| 3 (3) | 281 24% K | 147 22% 25% | 86 25% 47% | 47 33% AB* | 50 23% | 97 21% | 63 27% | 71 28% | 103 27% K | 77 25% | 75 20% | 25 25% * | 206 26% K | 154 23% | 127 26% | 89 28% | 80 24% | 61 23% | 26 19% | 26 22% * | 68 31% A | 72 23% |
| 4 (2) | 150 13% K | 96 14% 12% | 43 12% 8% | 12 8% * | 21 9% | 60 13% | 31 13% | 38 15% | 59 15% K | 46 15% K | 32 8% * | 13 14% * | 118 15% AK | 97 14% | 53 11% | 31 10% | 37 11% | 36 13% | 28 20% APQ | 17 15% * | 38 17% | 40 13% |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% I | 21 3% 3% | 9 3% 2% | 3 2% * | 4 2% | 9 2% | 9 4% | 10 4% | 3 1% | 11 3% | 17 5% AIM | 1 2% * | 16 2% * | 23 3% | 10 2% | 8 2% | 5 2% | 12 4% | 7 5% | 1 1% * | 12 6% A | 9 3% |
| Don't know | 65 6% JKS | 38 6% 5% | 17 5% 7% | 11 7% * | 17 8% | 30 6% | 10 4% | 9 4% | 33 9% AIK | 7 2% | 10 3% | 16 16% AIKM* | 56 7% AIK | 33 5% | 32 7% | 19 6% S | 18 5% S | 10 4% | 1 1% | 17 15% APQRS* | 7 3% | 15 5% |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 641 55% HIMU | 373 55% | 197 56% | 71 50% * | 130 58% | 265 57% | 123 52% | 123 49% | 183 48% | 172 55% | 243 64% AIIJM | 42 43% * | 397 50% | 367 54% | 274 55% | 174 54% | 186 57% | 148 55% | 78 55% | 55 47% * | 94 43% | 178 57% U |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 183 16% | 117 17% | 52 15% | 15 10% * | 25 11% | 69 15% | 40 17% | 48 19% | 63 16% | 56 18% | 49 13% | 15 15% * | 134 17% | 119 18% A | 63 13% | 39 12% | 42 13% | 48 18% | 36 25% APQ | 18 15% * | 50 23% A | 49 16% |

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| Mean | 3.59 HMSU | 3.56 | 3.64 | 3.64 * | 3.75 GH | 3.66 H | 3.51 | 3.44 | 3.51 | 3.52 | 3.74 AJJM | 3.61 * | 3.52 | 3.55 | 3.65 | 3.63 | 3.65 | 3.58 | 3.42 | 3.61 * | 3.31 | 3.64 U |
| Standard deviation | 1.054 | 1.062 | 1.059 | 1.006 | 1.016 | 1.043 | 1.060 | 1.079 | 0.996 | 1.054 | 1.080 | 1.123 | 1.034 | 1.081 | 1.015 | 1.008 | 0.991 | 1.128 | 1.140 | 1.057 | 1.113 | 1.067 |

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Q2. In general, do you think that the following groups are trustworthy or untrustworthy? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy. - The scientists advising the UK government on the actions it should take to deal with the Coronavirus, or COVID-19
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| | Total | Benefit and harm of science | | | Sources of scientific information | | | | | | | | Most trustworthy sources | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Major news broadcasts | Newspapers or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | Major news broadcasters | Newspapers or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | |
| | Total | Beneficial | Harmful/ambivalent | (D) | (E) | (F) | Radio | (H) | (I) | Social media | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | Radio | (Q) | (R) | Social media | (T) | (U) | |
| | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | |
| 1 – very trustworthy (5) | 232 20% C | 192 25% AC | 27 10% A | 158 23% A | 97 26% AFJ | 38 19% AFJ | 59 23% AFJK | 34 29% AFJK | 43 22% AFJK | 61 19% AFJK | 13 15% * | 139 24% AJ | 138 24% A | 40 22% A | 15 19% * | 35 27% A | 85 25% A | 20 24% * | 18 23% * | 5 12% * | 137 27% AT | |
| 2 (4) | 409 35% C | 300 40% AC | 74 28% A | 252 37% A | 143 38% AFJ | 68 33% AFJ | 87 34% AFJK | 45 38% AFJK | 77 39% AFJK | 121 38% AFJK | 34 40% * | 217 38% AJ | 230 41% AO | 69 39% A | 20 24% * | 59 45% AO | 131 39% A | 28 33% * | 24 31% * | 19 43% * | 194 39% AO | |
| 3 (3) | 281 24% BLMPQJ | 138 35% AB | 92 22% AB | 150 22% A | 83 25% AFJ | 51 25% L | 54 21% AFJK | 21 18% AFJK | 42 21% AFJK | 66 21% AFJK | 21 25% * | 104 18% AJ | 116 20% A | 41 23% A | 22 27% * | 20 15% A | 63 19% A | 18 22% * | 15 19% * | 9 20% * | 94 19% AT | |
| 4 (2) | 150 13% MU | 90 12% AC | 47 18% AB | 77 11% A | 49 13% AFJ | 28 14% AFJ | 35 14% AFJK | 12 10% AFJK | 30 15% AFJK | 44 14% AFJK | 9 11% * | 78 14% AJ | 59 10% A | 19 11% A | 15 19% * | 12 9% A | 37 11% A | 16 19% U* | 14 18% MU* | 10 22% MPU* | 47 9% AT | |
| 5 – very untrustworthy (1) | 33 3% EM | 18 2% AC | 11 4% A | 16 2% A | 5 1% AFJ | 8 4% E | 5 2% E | 6 5% E | 5 3% AFJK | 13 4% E | 2 2% * | 13 2% AJ | 10 2% A | 3 2% A | 3 4% * | 2 1% A | 8 2% A | 1 2% * | 6 7% AMNPQJ* | 2 3% * | 11 2% AT | |
| Don't know | 65 6% BEHLMQJ | 19 2% AC | 12 4% AB | 32 5% EHIL | 4 1% AFJ | 11 5% EHI | 14 5% EHI | 1 1% AFJK | 1 1% AFJK | 11 3% E | 7 8% EHIL* | 17 3% E | 14 2% A | 5 3% A | 5 7% * | 3 2% A | 11 3% A | 1 1% * | 1 2% * | - - * | 15 3% AT | |

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| NET: Trustworthy | 641 55% C | 492 65% AC | 101 39% AB | 410 60% AF | 240 63% AFJ | 106 52% AFJ | 146 57% AFJK | 79 66% AF | 120 61% AFJK | 181 58% AFJK | 47 55% * | 356 63% AFJ | 368 65% AO | 108 61% O | 35 43% * | 94 72% AORS | 216 65% AO | 47 57% * | 42 54% * | 25 55% * | 331 66% AOS |
| NET: Untrustworthy | 183 16% MU | 108 14% AC | 58 22% AB | 93 14% A | 53 14% AFJ | 36 18% AFJ | 40 16% AFJK | 17 15% AFJK | 35 18% AFJK | 56 18% D | 11 13% * | 91 16% AFJ | 68 12% AFJK | 22 13% AFJK | 18 23% MU* | 14 11% AFJK | 45 14% AFJK | 17 20% * | 20 26% AMNPQJ* | 12 25% MPU* | 58 12% AT |

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| Mean | 3.59 C | 3.75 AC | 3.24 | 3.70 AFJ | 3.74 AFJ | 3.52 | 3.66 | 3.77 F | 3.63 | 3.57 | 3.60 * | 3.71 AFJ | 3.78 AOST | 3.72 | 3.38 * | 3.89 AOST | 3.76 AOST | 3.59 * | 3.45 * | 3.38 * | 3.82 AOST |
| Standard deviation | 1.054 | 1.048 | 1.017 | 1.039 | 1.021 | 1.094 | 1.067 | 1.121 | 1.070 | 1.090 | 0.966 | 1.066 | 0.996 | 0.997 | 1.143 | 0.964 | 1.044 | 1.100 | 1.248 | 1.067 | 1.023 |

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Q3. Over the last two weeks, would you say that the amount of scientific information that you have seen or heard in relation to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) has been ... ?

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| | Total | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | | | Region | | | | | Urban / Rural | | |
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| | Total (A) | Male (B) | Female (C) | 16-34 (D) | 35-54 (E) | 55+ (F) | 16-24 (G) | 25-34 (H) | 35-44 (I) | 45-54 (J) | 55-75 (K) | 76+ (L) | AB (M) | C1 (N) | C2 (O) | DE (P) | ABC1 (Q) | C2DE (R) | North (S) | Midlands (T) | South (U) | London (V) | Wales (W) | Scotland (X) | Northern Ireland (Y) | Urban (Z) | Rural (a) | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 | |
| Far too much (2) | 37 3% P | 21 4% | 16 3% | 15 4% | 7 2% | 15 3% | 4 3% | 11 5% E | 2 1% | 5 2% | 11 3% | 4 4% * | 14 5% P | 9 3% | 11 5% | 3 1% | 23 4% | 14 3% P | 7 3% | 5 2% | 7 3% | 11 7% AT | 1 2% * | 7 7% T* | - - ** | 31 3% | 6 3% | |
| A bit too much (1) | 113 10% EU | 58 10% | 56 9% | 41 12% E | 25 7% | 47 11% | 19 12% | 22 11% | 12 7% | 14 7% | 32 10% | 15 13% * | 27 9% | 35 10% | 21 9% | 30 11% | 62 10% | 51 10% | 28 10% | 33 11% U | 14 6% | 19 12% U | 6 10% * | 10 11% * | 2 7% ** | 96 10% | 18 9% | |
| About right (0) | 519 44% DH | 262 46% | 254 43% | 134 38% H | 162 43% H | 222 50% ADH | 72 46% DH | 62 32% | 71 39% | 91 47% DH | 163 48% DH | 60 55% DH* | 131 42% | 153 45% | 106 44% | 129 46% | 284 44% | 235 45% | 108 40% | 126 43% | 135 51% AS | 67 44% | 25 44% * | 43 44% * | 15 44% ** | 424 43% | 95 50% | |
| A bit too little (-1) | 292 25% F | 136 24% | 155 26% | 100 29% F | 101 27% J | 91 20% | 42 27% | 59 30% FL | 56 31% FL | 45 23% | 74 22% | 17 16% * | 84 27% | 79 23% | 61 25% | 68 25% | 163 25% | 129 25% | 73 27% | 76 26% | 63 24% | 36 24% | 16 28% * | 22 22% * | 6 18% ** | 246 25% | 46 24% | |
| Far too little (-2) | 132 11% P | 65 11% | 65 11% | 42 12% | 45 12% | 45 10% | 16 10% | 26 13% | 20 11% | 25 13% | 34 10% | 11 10% * | 40 13% P | 40 12% | 31 13% | 20 7% | 80 12% P | 51 10% P | 34 13% | 32 11% | 29 11% | 12 8% | 6 11% * | 12 12% * | 7 20% ** | 112 11% | 19 10% | |
| Don't know | 77 7% G | 29 5% | 48 8% | 20 6% G | 34 9% AG | 24 5% | 4 2% | 16 8% DG | 19 10% G | 15 8% G | 21 6% | 2 2% * | 13 4% | 24 7% | 12 5% | 27 10% AMQR | 37 6% | 39 8% | 22 8% | 23 8% | 14 5% | 8 5% | 3 5% * | 4 4% * | 4 11% ** | 71 7% | 6 3% | |
| NET: Too much | 151 13% EU | 79 14% | 72 12% | 56 16% AEU | 32 9% | 62 14% E | 23 15% | 33 17% EU | 14 8% | 18 9% | 44 13% | 18 17% * | 41 13% | 44 13% | 32 13% | 33 12% | 85 13% | 65 13% | 36 13% | 38 13% | 21 8% | 29 19% AU | 7 12% * | 17 18% U* | 2 7% ** | 127 13% | 24 13% | |
| NET: Too little | 424 36% F | 200 35% | 220 37% | 142 40% AFK | 146 39% F | 136 31% | 57 37% | 85 43% AFKL | 76 42% FL | 70 36% | 108 32% | 28 26% * | 123 40% | 119 35% | 93 38% | 88 32% | 243 37% | 181 35% | 107 39% | 108 37% | 92 35% | 48 31% | 22 39% * | 34 34% * | 13 38% ** | 359 37% | 65 34% | |
| Mean | -0.34 E | -0.31 | -0.36 | -0.34 | -0.44 | -0.24 EI | -0.30 | -0.38 | -0.49 * | -0.40 | -0.28 | -0.15 EI* | -0.36 | -0.34 | -0.35 | -0.29 | -0.35 | -0.32 | -0.39 | -0.36 | -0.37 | -0.13 ASU | -0.39 * | -0.23 * | -0.57 ** | -0.34 | -0.30 | |
| Standard deviation | 0.936 | 0.949 | 0.923 | 0.998 | 0.885 | 0.918 | 0.916 | 1.065 | 0.857 | 0.910 | 0.918 | 0.916 | 0.988 | 0.934 | 0.986 | 0.827 | 0.960 | 0.906 | 0.956 | 0.903 | 0.868 | 0.992 | 0.903 | 1.048 | 0.935 | 0.943 | 0.903 | |

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| | Total | Marital Status | | | Household Size | | | | Education | | | | | Employment status | | Income | | | | | | Pres of children HH (17 or under) | |
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| A bit too much (1) | 113 10% | 67 10% | 35 10% | 12 8% * | 18 8% | 48 10% | 21 9% | 26 10% | 42 11% | 28 9% | 29 8% | 15 15% * | 84 11% | 65 10% | 48 10% | 37 11% | 30 9% | 31 12% | 8 6% | 7 6% * | 26 12% | 27 8% | |
| About right (0) | 519 44% KV | 318 47% | 149 42% | 53 36% * | 92 41% | 221 48% | 101 43% | 106 42% | 185 48% K | 140 45% | 150 40% | 45 46% * | 369 47% K | 288 43% | 231 47% | 138 43% | 141 43% | 119 44% | 62 44% | 60 52% * | 87 40% | 118 38% | |
| A bit too little (-1) | 292 25% M | 161 24% | 85 24% | 46 32% * | 57 26% | 108 23% | 57 24% | 69 28% | 81 21% | 74 24% | 123 33% AULM | 13 14% * | 169 21% | 181 27% | 111 22% | 79 25% | 78 24% | 70 26% | 41 30% | 23 20% * | 60 27% | 97 31% A | |
| Far too little (-2) | 132 11% | 70 10% | 46 13% | 15 10% * | 28 12% | 50 11% | 25 11% | 29 12% | 38 10% | 33 10% | 49 13% | 13 13% * | 83 10% | 69 10% | 62 13% | 36 11% | 39 12% | 28 10% | 13 9% | 15 13% * | 23 10% | 39 13% | |
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| NET: Too little | 424 36% IM | 231 34% | 131 37% | 61 42% * | 85 38% | 159 34% | 82 35% | 98 39% | 119 31% | 107 34% | 172 46% AULM | 26 26% * | 251 32% | 251 37% | 173 35% | 115 36% | 117 36% | 98 37% | 55 39% | 39 33% * | 82 38% | 136 44% A |

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|--------------------|-------------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|
| Mean | -0.34 KV | -0.28 | -0.38 | -0.48 * | -0.43 | -0.31 | -0.30 | -0.35 | -0.25 K | -0.32 | -0.48 | -0.15 K* | -0.27 AK | -0.34 | -0.34 | -0.36 | -0.32 | -0.30 | -0.36 | -0.38 * | -0.29 | -0.46 |
| Standard deviation | 0.936 | 0.936 | 0.958 | 0.866 | 0.913 | 0.917 | 0.976 | 0.953 | 0.915 | 0.927 | 0.923 | 1.035 | 0.936 | 0.932 | 0.943 | 0.911 | 0.986 | 0.934 | 0.922 | 0.896 | 0.981 | 0.934 |

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| | Total (A) | Beneficial (B) | Harmful/ambivalent (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | |
| Far too much (2) | 37 3% | 24 3% | 9 4% | 23 3% | 11 3% | 6 3% | 9 4% | 5 4% | 11 5% | 12 4% | 7 8% L* | 17 3% | 12 2% | 5 3% | - - * | 5 4% | 7 2% | 1 1% * | 6 8% AMODQU* | 6 14% AMNQPQRU* | 13 3% | |
| A bit too much (1) | 113 10% Q | 68 9% | 36 14% A | 72 10% | 42 11% | 31 15% AHL | 30 12% | 9 7% | 18 9% | 31 10% | 9 10% * | 57 10% | 49 9% | 16 9% | 10 12% * | 9 7% | 18 5% | 14 16% PQU* | 12 16% PQU* | 6 13% * | 38 8% | |
| About right (0) | 519 44% | 357 47% A | 107 41% | 323 47% | 163 43% | 91 45% | 114 45% | 49 42% | 98 49% | 138 44% | 33 38% * | 286 50% AEJ | 286 51% AQ | 75 42% | 38 47% * | 66 51% Q | 133 40% | 37 45% * | 32 42% * | 16 36% * | 282 57% AMNGST | |
| A bit too little (-1) | 292 25% | 187 25% | 70 27% | 164 24% | 107 28% | 47 23% | 73 29% | 26 22% | 43 22% | 85 27% | 30 35% FHL* | 135 24% | 144 25% | 62 35% AMU | 23 28% * | 33 25% | 92 28% | 23 28% * | 18 23% * | 13 28% * | 117 23% | |
| Far too little (-2) | 132 11% U | 92 12% | 23 9% | 84 12% | 40 10% | 25 12% | 26 10% | 29 25% ADEFGUJL | 20 10% | 39 12% | 7 8% * | 60 10% | 61 11% U | 15 9% | 8 9% * | 18 14% U | 71 21% AMNRU | 5 7% * | 9 11% * | 4 9% * | 31 6% | |
| Don't know | 77 7% BDFGHLMMN PQSU | 28 4% | 16 6% | 19 3% | 17 4% GH | 4 2% | 2 1% | - - * | 8 4% GH | 9 3% | 1 1% * | 15 3% | 13 2% | 4 2% | 3 3% * | - - * | 13 4% P | 3 3% * | * * * | - - * | 17 3% P | |
| NET: Too much | 151 13% Q | 92 12% | 46 17% A | 95 14% | 54 14% | 36 18% | 40 16% | 14 12% | 29 14% | 43 14% | 15 18% * | 74 13% | 62 11% | 21 12% | 10 12% * | 13 10% | 25 7% | 15 18% Q* | 18 23% AMNPQU* | 12 27% AMNPQU* | 52 10% | |
| NET: Too little | 424 36% U | 279 37% | 93 36% | 248 36% | 147 39% | 72 35% | 98 39% | 55 47% ADFL | 64 32% | 124 40% | 37 43% * | 195 34% | 205 36% U | 77 44% U | 30 37% * | 51 39% U | 164 49% AMRSU | 29 34% * | 27 34% * | 17 37% * | 147 30% | |
| Mean | -0.34 HQ | -0.35 | -0.25 | -0.32 H | -0.34 H | -0.27 H | -0.30 H | -0.55 | -0.23 H | -0.36 | -0.26 * | -0.30 H | -0.35 Q | -0.39 Q | -0.36 * | -0.39 Q | -0.63 | -0.23 Q* | -0.14 Q* | -0.05 Q* | -0.23 AMNQ | |
| Standard deviation | 0.936 | 0.931 | 0.951 | 0.947 | 0.930 | 0.967 | 0.937 | 1.072 | 0.961 | 0.961 | 1.020 | 0.901 | 0.874 | 0.874 | 0.830 | 0.933 | 0.957 | 0.860 | 1.076 | 1.160 | 0.797 | |

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Q4. Over the last two weeks, through which of the following, if any, have you seen or heard any scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

All Adults aged 16+ in the UK

| | Total | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | | | Region | | | | | | | | Urban / Rural | |
|--|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------|--|---------------|--|
| | Total (A) | Male (B) | Female (C) | 16-34 (D) | 35-54 (E) | 55+ (F) | 16-24 (G) | 25-34 (H) | 35-44 (I) | 45-54 (J) | 55-75 (K) | 76+ (L) | A8 (M) | C1 (N) | C2 (O) | DE (P) | ABC1 (Q) | C2DE (R) | North (S) | Midlands (T) | South (U) | London (V) | Wales (W) | Scotland (X) | Northern Ireland (Y) | Urban (Z) | Rural (a) | | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 | | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 | | | |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 685 59% DGH | 340 60% | 341 57% | 161 46% | 223 60% DGH | 301 68% ADEGH | 69 44% | 91 47% | 104 58% DG | 119 61% DGH | 223 66% ADGH | 78 72% DGH* | 189 61% | 191 56% | 149 61% | 157 57% | 379 58% | 306 59% | 152 56% | 180 61% | 165 63% | 83 54% | 35 62% * | 58 59% * | 13 38% ** | 566 58% | 119 62% | | | |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 568 49% | 283 50% | 282 47% | 157 45% | 173 46% | 238 54% DG | 68 43% | 89 46% | 86 48% | 87 45% | 184 55% ADGU | 54 50% * | 156 51% | 164 48% | 119 49% | 129 47% | 319 49% | 249 48% | 120 44% | 159 54% S | 128 49% | 74 48% | 24 42% * | 49 50% * | 13 40% ** | 462 47% | 106 56% | | | |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 381 33% JPR | 196 34% | 185 31% | 107 31% | 109 29% J | 165 37% EGJ | 42 27% | 65 34% | 61 34% | 48 25% | 118 35% J | 46 43% G* | 114 37% PR | 121 36% PR | 72 30% | 73 26% | 236 36% APR | 145 28% | 85 31% | 97 33% | 83 32% | 54 36% | 20 36% * | 37 37% * | 5 15% ** | 308 31% | 73 38% | | | |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 315 27% FIKLN | 160 28% | 152 26% | 147 42% AEFIKL | 104 28% FIKL | 64 14% | 71 35% | 76 39% | 63 35% | 41 21% | 52 15% | 12 11% * | 100 32% ANQ | 77 23% | 63 26% | 76 27% | 177 27% N | 138 27% | 73 28% | 81 76% | 79 29% | 36 23% | 13 23% * | 27 27% ** | 10 28% ** | 257 26% | 57 30% | | | |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 254 22% | 135 24% | 118 20% | 67 19% | 75 20% | 112 25% H | 34 22% | 33 17% | 35 19% | 41 21% | 84 25% | 28 26% * | 75 24% | 72 21% | 58 24% | 50 18% | 147 23% | 108 21% | 60 22% | 52 18% | 76 29% ATV | 27 18% | 11 20% * | 26 26% * | 2 7% ** | 206 21% | 48 25% | | | |
| Verbally from friends or family | 203 17% FK | 96 17% | 105 18% | 92 26% AEFHUK | 53 14% | 59 13% | 50 32% ADEPFHUKL | 42 22% EFJK | 28 15% | 25 13% | 44 13% | 15 14% * | 60 20% | 65 19% | 37 15% | 41 15% | 126 19% A | 77 15% | 43 16% | 46 15% | 56 21% | 27 18% | 7 13% * | 16 17% * | 8 24% ** | 171 17% | 32 17% | | | |
| Other TV programmes | 198 17% DHUZ | 109 19% | 89 15% | 38 11% | 54 14% | 106 24% ADEGHNK | 19 12% | 19 10% | 31 17% H | 23 12% | 72 22% GHIKL | 34 31% ADEGHK** | 57 18% | 58 17% | 38 16% | 45 16% | 115 18% | 83 16% | 45 17% | 53 18% | 35 13% | 28 18% | 12 21% * | 21 21% * | 4 12% ** | 151 15% | 47 25% AZ | | | |
| Scientific journals or websites | 118 10% CFKPR | 76 13% AC | 42 7% | 71 20% AEFIJL | 32 9% FK | 16 4% | 35 22% AEFIJL | 36 18% AEFIJL | 18 10% FK | 14 7% K | 9 3% | 6 6% * | 52 17% ANOPQR | 35 10% H | 15 6% | 16 6% | 87 13% ANOPR | 31 6% | 32 12% | 22 7% | 24 9% | 16 10% | 7 12% * | 14 14% * | 4 11% ** | 101 10% | 17 9% | | | |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 86 7% EFALS | 42 7% | 44 7% | 50 14% AEFIJL | 16 4% | 20 15% | 23 14% AEFIJL | 28 14% AEFIJL | 10 6% | 6 3% | 20 6% F | - 6% * | 30 10% | 20 6% | 20 8% | 16 6% | 50 8% | 36 7% | 11 4% | 18 6% | 22 9% | 24 16% ASTWX | 2 1% * | 6 6% * | 3 9% ** | 74 8% | 12 6% | | | |
| None of these | 73 6% BM | 21 4% | 52 9% AB | 19 5% | 34 9% AFL | 20 5% | 8 4% | 12 6% | 14 8% L | 20 10% ADHL | 20 6% F | - 6% * | 9 3% | 24 7% M | 18 8% | 21 5% | 33 M | 40 8% M | 26 9% A | 16 6% | 13 5% | 7 4% | 2 3% * | 9 9% * | 1 2% ** | 63 6% | 10 5% | | | |
| Don't know | 28 2% BFK | 6 1% | 21 3% B | 12 4% FK | 12 3% FK | 3 1% K | 4 3% | 8 4% FK | 7 4% FK | 5 2% K | 1 * K | 2 2% * | 7 2% | 6 2% | 4 2% | 12 4% | 13 2% | 15 3% | 6 2% | 10 3% | 4 2% | 2 2% | 1 2% * | 2 2% * | 2 7% ** | 26 3% | 2 1% | | | |
| NET: News | 800 68% DGH | 400 70% | 397 67% | 205 58% | 251 67% D | 344 77% ADEGHI | 91 58% | 114 58% | 123 68% | 129 66% | 253 75% ADEGHI | 90 84% ADEGHI** | 218 71% | 225 66% | 178 73% | 180 65% | 443 68% | 358 69% P | 175 65% | 212 72% | 192 73% | 102 67% | 40 71% * | 66 67% * | 13 40% ** | 668 68% | 133 70% | | | |

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Q4. Over the last two weeks, through which of the following, if any, have you seen or heard any scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

All Adults aged 16+ in the UK

| | Total | Marital Status | | | Household Size | | | | Education | | | | | Employment status | | Income | | | | | Pres of children HH (17 or under) | |
|--|--------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---|--|
| | Total | Married/ Living as Married | Single | Widowed/ Divorced/ Separated | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | GCSE/O Level/NVQ 12 | A Level or equivalent | Degree/M asters/Ph D | No formal qualificati ons | Non- graduate | Working | Not working | UP TO £19,999 | £20,000- £34,999 | £35,000 - £54,999 | £55,000+ | Prefer not to say | At least one child present AND Under 45 | No children present AND Under 45 |
| | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 653 | 387 | 130 | 220 | 424 | 250 | 276 | 323 | 276 | 497 | 74 | 673 | 684 | 486 | 315 | 307 | 274 | 164 | 110 | 234 | 338 |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 675 | 351 | 144 | 222 | 461 | 236 | 251 | 383 | 312 | 377 | 98 | 793 | 674 | 496 | 321 | 326 | 267 | 140 | 117 | 219 | 313 |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 685 59% CHU | 412 61% C | 182 52% 63% | 91 63% + | 140 63% H | 294 64% AGH | 128 54% | 122 49% | 224 58% | 179 57% | 229 61% | 53 54% + | 456 57% | 385 57% | 300 60% | 174 54% | 195 60% | 150 56% | 95 68% APR | 72 61% + | 95 43% | 169 54% U |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 568 49% CE | 356 53% AC | 150 43% 63% | 62 43% + | 89 40% 64% | 249 54% AE | 112 47% | 118 47% | 180 47% | 164 52% | 184 49% | 41 42% + | 385 41% | 314 49% | 254 47% | 139 43% | 165 51% | 140 52% | 70 50% | 55 47% + | 102 46% | 141 45% |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 381 33% CIM | 236 35% 35% | 99 28% 63% | 45 31% + | 70 32% 64% | 154 33% AGH | 79 33% | 78 31% | 100 26% | 103 33% | 156 41% AIIUM | 23 23% + | 225 41% | 221 33% | 161 32% | 90 28% | 104 32% | 98 37% T | 61 44% APQT | 27 23% + | 72 33% | 96 31% |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 315 27% EFL | 176 26% AD | 111 32% 19% | 28 19% + | 42 23% 64% | 97 21% AEF | 84 36% AEF | 92 37% | 105 27% L | 96 31% L | 103 27% L | 10 10% + | 212 29% | 195 27% | 119 24% | 74 23% | 73 22% | 92 35% APQT | 52 37% APQT | 23 20% + | 87 40% A | 122 39% A |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 254 22% M | 147 22% 21% | 72 21% 24% | 35 24% + | 61 27% 64% | 91 20% AGH | 53 22% | 50 20% | 69 18% | 65 21% | 108 29% AIIUM | 12 12% L | 146 18% | 161 24% | 94 19% | 58 19% | 62 27% | 71 30% P | 42 27% APQT | 21 18% + | 46 21% | 56 18% |
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| Other TV programmes | 198 17% GRV | 121 18% 14% | 50 14% 19% | 27 19% + | 43 19% 64% | 89 19% G | 29 12% | 37 15% | 72 19% | 41 13% | 68 18% | 17 17% + | 130 16% | 97 14% | 101 20% AN | 52 16% | 54 16% | 54 20% | 20 14% | 18 15% + | 33 15% | 36 12% |
| Scientific journals or websites | 118 10% FIMO | 57 8% 15% | 53 15% ABD | 9 6% + | 24 11% 64% | 28 6% F | 26 11% F | 40 16% | 18 5% | 33 11% | 64 17% AIIUM | 3 3% + | 55 7% | 82 12% | 37 7% | 22 7% | 34 11% | 28 11% | 17 12% | 16 14% + | 41 19% A | 48 15% A |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 86 7% O | 46 7% 9% | 30 9% 63% | 9 6% + | 10 4% 64% | 27 6% AGH | 18 8% | 31 12% | 25 7% | 20 6% | 37 10% AM | 4 4% + | 49 6% | 68 10% | 18 4% | 23 7% | 18 6% | 27 10% T | 15 11% T | 3 2% + | 29 13% A | 32 10% A |
| None of these | 73 6% K | 37 6% 7% | 24 7% 63% | 11 8% + | 12 5% 64% | 32 7% AGH | 15 6% | 15 6% | 22 6% | 21 7% | 15 4% AIIUM | 14 14% AIK* | 57 7% | 40 6% | 32 7% | 31 10% ARS | 20 6% | 11 4% | 4 3% | 6 5% + | 12 5% + | 21 7% A |
| Don't know | 28 2% 2% | 12 2% 4% | 13 4% 2% | 3 2% + | 5 2% 64% | 7 1% AGH | 7 3% | 10 4% | 19 5% AIIUM | 4 1% | 5 1% | - + + | 23 3% | 11 2% | 17 3% | 11 3% | 6 2% | 4 1% | 2 2% | 5 4% + | 7 3% | 13 4% A |
| NET: News | 800 68% CHMU | 473 70% 64% | 224 64% 72% | 103 72% + | 165 75% H | 331 72% H | 154 65% | 150 60% | 249 65% | 210 67% | 279 74% AIM | 62 64% + | 521 66% | 455 68% | 345 70% | 210 65% | 226 69% | 177 66% | 112 80% APQRT | 76 65% + | 128 59% | 199 64% |

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| | Benefit and harm of science | | | Sources of scientific information | | | | | | | | | | Most trustworthy sources | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------|--|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------|--|---------------|--|--|
| | | | | Major news broadcasters | Newspapers or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | Major news broadcasters | Newspapers or news websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | | |
| | Total (A) | Beneficial (B) | Harmful/ambivalent (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | | |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 685 | 493 | 135 | 685 | 266 | 144 | 186 | 67 | 124 | 207 | 52 | 376 | 445 | 122 | 41 | 82 | 207 | 31 | 39 | 16 | 307 | | |
| | 59% | 65% | 52% | 100% | 70% | 71% | 73% | 56% | 63% | 66% | 61% | 66% | 79% | 69% | 51% | 63% | 62% | 38% | 50% | 35% | 62% | | |
| | CRT | AC | | ADEFGHIKL | AH | AH | AHIL | | | A | * | AH | AMNPQRSTU | ACIRST | * | RT | RT | * | * | * | RST | | |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 568 | 413 | 120 | 376 | 237 | 133 | 162 | 65 | 117 | 204 | 57 | 568 | 303 | 96 | 48 | 67 | 168 | 43 | 38 | 13 | 328 | | |
| | 49% | 55% | 46% | 55% | 62% | 65% | 64% | 55% | 59% | 65% | 66% | 100% | 54% | 59% | 51% | 50% | 52% | 49% | 29% | 66% | | | |
| | T | AC | | A | AD | AD | AD | | A | AD | A* | ADEFGHIK | AT | T | T* | T | T* | T* | * | AMNPQRST | | | |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 381 | 297 | 65 | 266 | 381 | 94 | 124 | 48 | 94 | 120 | 43 | 237 | 223 | 135 | 20 | 52 | 137 | 38 | 15 | 19 | 183 | | |
| | 33% | 39% | 25% | 39% | 100% | 46% | 40% | 41% | 48% | 38% | 50% | 42% | 39% | 76% | 24% | 40% | 41% | 46% | 20% | 43% | 37% | | |
| | CS | AC | | A | ADFGHIKL | AI | ADIL | | ADI | A | A* | A | AOS | AMNPQRSTU | * | S | AOS | ADS* | * | S* | AS | | |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 315 | 222 | 73 | 207 | 120 | 108 | 92 | 45 | 69 | 315 | 50 | 204 | 158 | 43 | 30 | 33 | 117 | 23 | 47 | 16 | 151 | | |
| | 27% | 29% | 28% | 30% | 31% | 53% | 36% | 38% | 35% | 100% | 59% | 36% | 28% | 24% | 37% | 25% | 35% | 28% | 61% | 34% | 30% | | |
| | | A | | A | A | ADEGHIKL | A | A | A | ADEFGHIKL | A | A | AD | | * | AMNP | * | AMNPQRSTU | * | * | | | |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 254 | 182 | 54 | 186 | 124 | 72 | 254 | 29 | 68 | 92 | 32 | 162 | 135 | 47 | 24 | 84 | 81 | 23 | 12 | 8 | 122 | | |
| | 22% | 24% | 20% | 27% | 32% | 35% | 100% | 25% | 34% | 29% | 37% | 28% | 24% | 27% | 30% | 64% | 24% | 27% | 15% | 17% | 24% | | |
| | | A | | AD | ADH | AD | ADEFGHIKL | | A | A | A* | A | | | S* | AMNPQRSTU | | * | * | * | | | |
| Verbally from friends or family | 203 | 139 | 51 | 144 | 94 | 203 | 72 | 35 | 55 | 108 | 43 | 133 | 110 | 32 | 44 | 19 | 72 | 16 | 20 | 18 | 98 | | |
| | 17% | 18% | 19% | 21% | 25% | 100% | 28% | 30% | 28% | 34% | 50% | 23% | 19% | 18% | 54% | 15% | 22% | 19% | 25% | 39% | 20% | | |
| | | | | A | AD | ADEGHIKL | AD | AD | A | ADEL | ADEGHIKL* | A | | | AMNPQRSTU* | | A | * | * | AMNPQRSTU* | | | |
| Other TV programmes | 198 | 127 | 57 | 124 | 94 | 55 | 68 | 23 | 198 | 69 | 19 | 117 | 103 | 39 | 20 | 35 | 51 | 40 | 16 | 4 | 94 | | |
| | 17% | 17% | 22% | 18% | 25% | 27% | 27% | 19% | 100% | 22% | 23% | 21% | 18% | 22% | 25% | 27% | 15% | 48% | 21% | 9% | 19% | | |
| | | | A | | AD | AD | ADL | | ADEFGHIKL | A | * | A | | | * | AMNPSTU | | AMNPQRSTU* | * | * | | | |
| Scientific journals or websites | 118 | 96 | 19 | 67 | 48 | 35 | 29 | 118 | 23 | 45 | 15 | 65 | 51 | 16 | 10 | 10 | 79 | 12 | 16 | 12 | 35 | | |
| | 10% | 13% | 7% | 10% | 13% | 17% | 11% | 100% | 11% | 14% | 17% | 11% | 9% | 9% | 12% | 8% | 24% | 15% | 21% | 27% | 7% | | |
| | | U | A | | ADL | | ADEFGHIKL | | AD | AD | * | | | | * | AMNPJU | U* | AMNPJU* | AMNPJU* | | | | |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 86 | 60 | 21 | 52 | 43 | 43 | 32 | 15 | 19 | 50 | 86 | 57 | 38 | 20 | 16 | 2 | 26 | 10 | 11 | 19 | 49 | | |
| | 7% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 11% | 21% | 12% | 13% | 10% | 16% | 100% | 10% | 7% | 11% | 20% | 2% | 8% | 12% | 14% | 42% | 10% | | |
| | P | | | AD | ADEGHIJL | AD | AD | A | ADEL | ADEFGHIKL* | A | P | NP | AMPQJL* | | P | P* | AMP* | AMNPQJL* | AMP | | | |
| None of these | 73 | 29 | 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 15 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 17 | - | 2 | - | 21 | | |
| | 6% | 4% | 4% | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3% | 1% | 4% | 1% | 5% | - | 3% | - | 4% | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | * | | | | | MNP | * | * | * | N | | | |
| Don't know | 28 | 7 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | * | 1 | 4 | 1 | - | - | 3 | | |
| | 2% | 1% | 1% | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1% | - | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | - | - | 1% | | |
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|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|----------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| NET: News | 800 | 570 | 161 | 685 | 381 | 169 | 214 | 80 | 142 | 235 | 66 | 424 | 482 | 158 | 50 | 100 | 248 | 48 | 42 | 31 | 360 |
| | 68% | 75% | 62% | 100% | 83% | 83% | 84% | 68% | 72% | 75% | 76% | 75% | 85% | 89% | 61% | 76% | 74% | 58% | 54% | 67% | 72% |
| | CS | AC | | A EFGHIKL | A FGHJKL | AHIL | AHIL | | | A | * | A | ACNPQRSTU | ACNPQRSTU | * | ARS | ARS | * | * | * | ARS |

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Q5. Which two or three of the following, if any, do you trust the most to provide reliable scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

All Adults aged 16+ in the UK

| | Total | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | | | Social grade | | | | | | | | Region | | | | | | | | Urban / Rural | |
|--|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------|--------------|--|---------------|--|
| | Total (A) | Male (B) | Female (C) | 16-34 (D) | 35-54 (E) | 55+ (F) | 16-24 (G) | 25-34 (H) | 35-44 (I) | 45-54 (J) | 55-75 (K) | 76+ (L) | A8 (M) | C1 (N) | C2 (O) | DE (P) | ABC1 (Q) | C2DE (R) | North (S) | Midlands (T) | South (U) | London (V) | Wales (W) | Scotland (X) | Northern Ireland (Y) | Urban (Z) | Rural (a) | | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 580 | 583 | 382 | 405 | 383 | 173 | 209 | 190 | 215 | 333 | 50 | 353 | 385 | 161 | 271 | 738 | 432 | 271 | 292 | 261 | 155 | 60 | 101 | 30 | 987 | 183 | | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 569 | 594 | 352 | 374 | 444 | 157 | 195 | 180 | 194 | 336 | 108 | 308 | 341 | 243 | 277 | 649 | 521 | 272 | 295 | 262 | 153 | 56 | 99 | 34 | 980 | 190 | | | |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 565 | 267 | 295 | 139 | 186 | 240 | 54 | 85 | 84 | 102 | 179 | 61 | 154 | 170 | 128 | 114 | 324 | 242 | 122 | 135 | 140 | 77 | 29 | 47 | 14 | 485 | 80 | | | |
| | 48% DGP | 47% | 50% | 39% | 50% | 54% | 35% | 43% | 47% G | 53% DG | 53% DGH | 56% DG* | 50% | 50% | 52% P | 41% | 50% P | 46% P | 45% | 46% | 54% | 51% | 51% + | 48% + | 40% + | 50% | 42% | | | |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 498 | 247 | 250 | 144 | 167 | 187 | 72 | 72 | 85 | 82 | 140 | 47 | 132 | 146 | 110 | 110 | 278 | 220 | 97 | 149 | 125 | 67 | 17 | 33 | 10 | 416 | 82 | | | |
| | 43% S | 43% | 42% | 41% | 45% | 42% | 46% | 37% | 47% | 42% | 42% | 43% + | 43% | 43% | 45% | 40% | 43% | 42% | 36% | 51% ASWX | 48% SWX | 44% | 31% + | 33% + | 29% + | 42% | 43% | | | |
| Scientific journals or websites | 335 | 167 | 166 | 116 | 118 | 101 | 47 | 69 | 65 | 53 | 85 | 16 | 103 | 87 | 68 | 77 | 190 | 145 | 79 | 84 | 74 | 37 | 24 | 30 | 7 | 282 | 53 | | | |
| | 29% FL | 29% | 28% | 33% APL | 31% FL | 23% | 30% L | 35% APFL | 36% FRL | 27% | 25% F | 15% + | 33% ANQ | 25% | 28% | 28% | 29% N | 28% | 29% | 28% | 28% | 24% | 42% AV* | 31% + | 20% + | 29% | 28% | | | |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 177 | 94 | 82 | 53 | 47 | 77 | 22 | 31 | 25 | 22 | 50 | 27 | 53 | 57 | 27 | 40 | 110 | 67 | 32 | 44 | 40 | 30 | 11 | 17 | 3 | 146 | 32 | | | |
| | 15% | 16% | 14% | 15% | 13% | 17% | 14% | 16% | 14% | 11% | 15% | 25% EJ* | 17% | 17% | 11% | 15% | 17% | 13% | 12% | 15% | 15% | 20% | 19% + | 17% + | 8% + | 15% | 17% | | | |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 131 | 71 | 57 | 27 | 30 | 73 | 16 | 11 | 9 | 21 | 52 | 22 | 36 | 36 | 25 | 34 | 72 | 58 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 15 | 8 | 15 | 2 | 97 | 33 | | | |
| | 11% DEHIZ | 13% | 10% | 8% | 8% | 17% ADEHI | 10% | 5% | 5% | 11% E | 15% ADEHI | 20% DEH* | 12% | 11% | 10% | 12% | 11% | 11% | 11% | 10% | 11% | 10% | 15% + | 15% + | 7% + | 10% | 18% AZ | | | |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 78 | 48 | 28 | 55 | 12 | 11 | 31 | 24 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 25 | 22 | 12 | 18 | 47 | 31 | 20 | 14 | 18 | 13 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 67 | 11 | | | |
| | 7% CEFIK | 8% AC | 5% | 16% AEFUKL | 3% | 2% | 20% AEFUKL | 12% AEFUKL | 2% | 4% | 2% | 3% + | 8% | 6% | 5% | 7% | 7% | 6% | 7% | 5% | 7% | 9% | 5% 8% | 4% + | 4% + | 7% | 6% | | | |
| Other TV programmes | 83 | 51 | 32 | 27 | 13 | 43 | 14 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 23 | 20 | 23 | 22 | 23 | 15 | 45 | 38 | 25 | 22 | 14 | 8 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 67 | 16 | | | |
| | 7% CEI | 9% AC | 5% | 8% EJ | 3% | 10% EIK | 9% EJ | 7% J | 5% | 2% J | 18% ADEFHUK* | 7% | 7% | 7% | 9% | 5% | 7% | 7% | 9% | 8% | 5% | 5% | 4% 7% | 7% 12% + | 7% + | 7% 12% + | 8% | | | |
| Verbally from friends or family | 81 | 43 | 36 | 38 | 11 | 32 | 18 | 20 | 3 | 8 | 24 | 8 | 16 | 26 | 20 | 20 | 41 | 40 | 13 | 11 | 28 | 20 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 70 | 11 | | | |
| | 7% EIT | 8% | 6% | 11% AEI | 3% | 7% EI | 11% AEI | 10% EI | 2% | 4% J | 7% EI | 7% + | 5% | 7% | 8% | 7% | 6% | 8% | 5% | 4% | 11% AST | 13% ASTW | 2% + | 5% + | 10% + | 7% | 6% | | | |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 45 | 33 | 13 | 33 | 6 | 6 | 17 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 20 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 28 | 18 | 7 | 6 | 16 | 13 | 2 | 1 | - | 45 | - | | | |
| | 4% CEFIKa | 6% | 2% | 9% AEFIUK | 2% | 1% | 11% AEFIUK | 9% AEFIUK | 2% | 1% | 1% | 2% + | 6% ANOQL | 2% | 1% | 5% R | 4% N | 3% N | 2% | 2% | 6% ASTX | 9% ASTX | 4% + | 1% + | - + | 5% Aa | - | | | |
| None of these | 95 | 46 | 49 | 19 | 38 | 38 | 6 | 13 | 18 | 19 | 32 | 6 | 16 | 30 | 26 | 24 | 46 | 50 | 30 | 27 | 18 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 80 | 16 | | | |
| | 8% DGM | 8% | 8% | 5% | 10% DG | 9% | 4% | 7% | 10% G | 10% G | 10% G | 6% + | 5% | 9% | 11% | 9% | 7% | 10% M | 11% | 9% | 7% | 5% | 10% + | 6% + | 2% + | 8% | 8% | | | |
| Don't know | 94 | 31 | 62 | 20 | 40 | 33 | 8 | 13 | 19 | 21 | 22 | 11 | 14 | 29 | 18 | 34 | 42 | 52 | 21 | 24 | 17 | 10 | 3 | 13 | 6 | 78 | 16 | | | |
| | 8% BMQ | 6% | AB | 6% ADG | 11% ADG | 8% | 5% | 7% | 10% | 11% DG | 7% | 10% + | 4% | 8% | 7% | 12% AMQ | 6% M | 10% M | 8% | 8% | 7% | 6% | 5% + | 13% + | 17% + | 8% | 8% | | | |
| NET: News | 639 | 304 | 331 | 169 | 201 | 269 | 70 | 99 | 94 | 107 | 197 | 71 | 180 | 191 | 138 | 131 | 371 | 268 | 138 | 155 | 155 | 93 | 31 | 54 | 15 | 546 | 94 | | | |
| | 55% DGP | 53% | 56% | 48% | 54% | 60% ADGH | 45% | 51% | 52% | 55% | 59% DG | 66% DG | 58% P | 56% | 57% | 47% | 57% AP | 52% P | 51% | 52% | 59% | 61% | 55% + | 55% + | 44% + | 56% | 49% | | | |

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Q5. Which two or three of the following, if any, do you trust the most to provide reliable scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

All Adults aged 16+ in the UK

| | Total | Marital Status | | | | Household Size | | | | Education | | | | Employment status | | | | Income | | | | | Pres of children HH (17 or under) | |
|--|---------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| | | Married/ Living as Married | Single | Widowed/ Divorced/ Separated | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | GCSE/O Level/NVQ 12 | A Level or equivalent | Degree/M asters/Ph D | No formal qualificati ons | Non- graduate | Working | Not working | UP TO £19,999 | £20,000- £34,999 | £35,000 - £54,999 | £55,000+ | Prefer not to say | At least one child present AND Under 45 | No children present AND Under 45 | | |
| | Total (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | (V) | | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 653 | 387 | 130 | 220 | 424 | 250 | 276 | 323 | 276 | 497 | 74 | 673 | 684 | 486 | 315 | 307 | 274 | 164 | 110 | 234 | 338 | | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 675 | 351 | 144 | 222 | 461 | 236 | 251 | 383 | 312 | 377 | 98 | 793 | 674 | 496 | 321 | 326 | 267 | 140 | 117 | 219 | 313 | | |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 565 48% CHMPU | 344 51% C | 152 43% C | 69 48% + | 110 49% AGH | 247 54% AGH | 103 43% AGH | 106 42% AGH | 176 46% AUM | 140 45% AUM | 205 54% AUM | 44 45% + | 360 45% AGH | 314 47% AGH | 251 51% AGH | 132 41% AGH | 164 50% AGH | 130 49% AGH | 78 56% P | 61 52% + | 83 38% + | 140 45% AGH | | |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 498 43% K | 295 44% K | 149 42% K | 54 37% + | 87 39% + | 204 44% + | 100 42% + | 107 43% + | 184 48% AK | 139 45% AK | 141 37% AK | 33 34% + | 357 45% K | 295 44% AGH | 203 41% AGH | 127 40% AGH | 141 43% AGH | 124 46% AGH | 66 47% AGH | 40 34% + | 92 42% + | 136 43% AGH | | |
| Scientific journals or websites | 335 29% IMO | 186 28% IMO | 116 33% A | 33 23% + | 61 27% + | 126 27% + | 79 33% + | 69 28% + | 76 20% IM | 96 31% IM | 146 39% AUM | 17 17% + | 189 32% I | 217 32% AO | 118 24% AGH | 89 28% AGH | 87 27% AGH | 74 28% AGH | 50 35% AGH | 35 30% + | 66 30% A | 115 37% A | | |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 177 15% MNT | 103 15% MNT | 49 14% MNT | 25 18% + | 35 16% + | 71 15% + | 31 13% + | 40 16% + | 53 14% + | 43 14% + | 74 20% ALM | 7 7% ALM | 103 13% I | 88 18% AO | 89 16% AGH | 50 15% T | 49 16% T | 42 16% T | 29 21% T | 7 6% + | 32 14% + | 46 15% AGH | | |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 131 11% IMUV | 63 9% IMUV | 39 11% ABC* | 28 20% ABC* | 40 18% AFGH | 46 10% AFGH | 22 9% AFGH | 23 9% AFGH | 29 8% AUM | 24 8% AUM | 65 17% AUM | 12 12% + | 65 8% AGH | 66 10% AGH | 65 13% AGH | 40 13% AGH | 32 10% AGH | 28 11% AGH | 16 11% AGH | 14 12% + | 13 6% + | 23 7% AGH | | |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 78 7% BFL | 35 5% ABD | 39 11% ABD | 4 2% + | 8 4% + | 20 4% + | 21 9% F | 29 12% AEF | 24 6% L | 24 8% L | 30 9% L | - - L | 48 6% L | 49 7% AGH | 29 6% AGH | 22 7% AGH | 23 7% AGH | 18 7% AGH | 11 8% AGH | 3 2% + | 29 13% A | 30 10% A | | |
| Other TV programmes | 83 7% KDS | 45 7% KDS | 26 7% KDS | 12 9% + | 16 7% + | 35 8% + | 13 5% + | 19 8% + | 19 5% + | 19 6% + | 32 9% AGH | 12 12% + | 51 6% AGH | 45 7% AGH | 38 8% AGH | 24 8% AGH | 24 7% AGH | 20 7% AGH | 7 5% AGH | 8 7% + | 18 8% + | 17 6% AGH | | |
| Verbally from friends or family | 81 7% BFKT | 34 5% AB | 34 10% AB | 13 9% + | 20 9% + | 21 5% + | 24 10% F | 17 7% F | 35 9% K | 32 10% AK | 12 3% AGH | 2 2% + | 69 9% AK | 44 7% AGH | 37 8% T | 24 7% T | 24 9% T | 23 6% T | 8 6% T | 2 2% + | 22 10% + | 19 6% AGH | | |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 45 4% FOT | 25 4% FOT | 17 5% FOT | 3 2% + | 8 4% + | 7 2% + | 14 6% F | 15 6% F | 12 3% AGH | 15 5% AGH | 15 4% AGH | 3 3% + | 30 4% AGH | 36 5% AGH | 10 2% AGH | 9 3% AGH | 18 5% AGH | 11 4% AGH | 8 6% T | - - T | 20 9% A | 18 6% AGH | | |
| None of these | 95 8% K | 57 8% K | 24 7% K | 14 10% + | 21 9% + | 41 9% + | 15 6% + | 19 8% + | 35 9% AGH | 27 9% AGH | 21 6% AGH | 11 11% + | 74 9% AGH | 51 8% AGH | 45 9% AGH | 33 10% AGH | 30 9% AGH | 18 7% AGH | 8 5% AGH | 8 7% + | 18 8% + | 20 6% AGH | | |
| Don't know | 94 8% KDS | 54 8% KDS | 28 8% KDS | 12 8% + | 21 10% + | 35 8% + | 16 7% + | 22 9% + | 36 9% K | 25 8% K | 18 5% AGH | 15 16% AK* | 76 10% AK | 46 7% AGH | 48 10% AGH | 38 12% AGH | 15 5% AGH | 19 7% AGH | 3 2% AGH | 19 16% AGH* | 12 6% AGH | 27 9% AGH | | |
| NET: News | 639 55% CHMPU | 385 57% C | 175 50% C | 80 55% + | 122 55% AGH | 274 59% AGH | 120 51% AGH | 124 50% AGH | 202 53% AGH | 159 51% AGH | 231 61% AUM | 47 49% + | 409 52% AGH | 349 52% AGH | 290 58% AGH | 153 48% AGH | 187 57% P | 145 54% AGH | 92 66% AP | 63 54% + | 103 47% AGH | 161 51% AGH | | |

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Q5. Which two or three of the following, if any, do you trust the most to provide reliable scientific information about the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

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| | Benefit and harm of science | | Sources of scientific information | | | | | | | | | | Most trustworthy sources | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------|--|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------|--|---------------|--|
| | Total | | | Major news broadcasters | Newspaper websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | Major news broadcasters | Newspaper websites | Verbally from friends or family | | Scientific journals or websites | Other TV programmes | | Whatsapp groups with friends or family | UK Government | |
| | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | (E) | (F) | (G) | (H) | (I) | (J) | (K) | (L) | (M) | (N) | (O) | (P) | (Q) | (R) | (S) | (T) | (U) | |
| Unweighted base | 1170 | 762 | 263 | 677 | 398 | 209 | 262 | 129 | 186 | 329 | 85 | 563 | 561 | 188 | 69 | 146 | 353 | 76 | 83 | 41 | 476 | |
| Weighted base | 1170 | 757 | 262 | 685 | 381 | 203 | 254 | 118 | 198 | 315 | 86 | 568 | 565 | 177 | 81 | 131 | 335 | 83 | 78 | 45 | 498 | |
| Major news broadcasters like the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 or Sky (on TV, online or as apps) | 565 | 418 | 100 | 445 | 223 | 110 | 135 | 51 | 103 | 158 | 38 | 303 | 565 | 103 | 26 | 78 | 159 | 30 | 23 | 10 | 278 | |
| | 48% | 55% | 38% | 65% | 59% | 54% | 53% | 43% | 52% | 50% | 44% | 53% | 100% | 58% | 32% | 60% | 47% | 36% | 30% | 21% | 56% | |
| | COST | AC | | AEFGHIL | AHJK | H | | | | | + | AH | AEFGHJKL | ADGKST | + | ADGKST | | + | + | + | ADGKST | |
| UK Government Coronavirus (COVID-19) adverts or updates (on TV or online) | 498 | 346 | 103 | 307 | 183 | 98 | 122 | 35 | 94 | 151 | 49 | 328 | 278 | 73 | 34 | 55 | 124 | 25 | 32 | 12 | 498 | |
| | 43% | 46% | 39% | 45% | 48% | 48% | 48% | 30% | 47% | 48% | 57% | 58% | 49% | 41% | 42% | 42% | 37% | 30% | 41% | 27% | 100% | |
| | HQ | A | | H | AH | H | H | | | AH | AH* | ADFGHJK | ADGRT | | | | | + | + | + | AMNQPQRSTU | |
| Scientific journals or websites | 335 | 263 | 49 | 207 | 137 | 72 | 81 | 79 | 51 | 117 | 26 | 168 | 159 | 49 | 10 | 21 | 335 | 11 | 18 | 9 | 124 | |
| | 29% | 35% | 19% | 30% | 36% | 35% | 32% | 67% | 26% | 37% | 31% | 30% | 28% | 28% | 12% | 16% | 100% | 13% | 23% | 19% | 25% | |
| | CDPR | AC | | ADIL | ADIL | AI | AEFGHKL | | | ADIL | + | | OPR | OPR | | AMNQPSTU | | + | + | + | OPR | |
| Newspapers or other news websites (online, as apps or in print) | 177 | 138 | 31 | 122 | 135 | 32 | 47 | 16 | 39 | 43 | 20 | 96 | 103 | 177 | 11 | 24 | 49 | 8 | 10 | 6 | 73 | |
| | 15% | 18% | 12% | 18% | 35% | 16% | 19% | 13% | 20% | 14% | 23% | 17% | 18% | 100% | 13% | 18% | 15% | 9% | 13% | 13% | 15% | |
| | | AC | | AHFGHJL | | | | | | | I* | | AMNQPQRSTU | | | | | + | + | + | | |
| Radio (news or other programmes) | 131 | 107 | 19 | 82 | 52 | 19 | 84 | 10 | 35 | 33 | 2 | 67 | 78 | 24 | 5 | 131 | 21 | 18 | 7 | 4 | 55 | |
| | 11% | 14% | 7% | 12% | 14% | 9% | 33% | 9% | 18% | 10% | 2% | 12% | 14% | 14% | 6% | 100% | 6% | 22% | 9% | 9% | 11% | |
| | CHQ | | | K | K | K | AEFGHKL | | ADHJKL | | | K | AQ | Q | | AMNQPQRSTU | | ADGJL* | + | + | Q | |
| Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or Instagram) | 78 | 53 | 21 | 39 | 15 | 20 | 12 | 16 | 16 | 47 | 11 | 38 | 23 | 10 | 13 | 7 | 18 | 4 | 78 | 9 | 32 | |
| | 7% | 7% | 8% | 6% | 4% | 10% | 5% | 14% | 8% | 15% | 13% | 7% | 4% | 6% | 15% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 100% | 20% | 6% | |
| | EM | | | | DEG | | | AEDEGL | E | AEDEGL | DEG* | E | | | AMNQPJL* | | | + | AMNQPRL* | + | M | |
| Other TV programmes | 83 | 55 | 20 | 31 | 38 | 16 | 23 | 12 | 40 | 23 | 10 | 43 | 30 | 8 | 5 | 18 | 11 | 83 | 4 | 4 | 25 | |
| | 7% | 7% | 8% | 5% | 10% | 8% | 9% | 10% | 20% | 7% | 11% | 8% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 14% | 3% | 100% | 5% | 10% | 5% | |
| | DQU | | | AD | AD | | D | D | AEFGHJL | | D* | | | | + | AMNQPJL | | AMNQPSTU* | + | + | | |
| Verbally from friends or family | 81 | 40 | 35 | 41 | 20 | 44 | 24 | 10 | 20 | 30 | 16 | 48 | 26 | 11 | 81 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 34 | |
| | 7% | 5% | 13% | 6% | 5% | 21% | 9% | 8% | 10% | 10% | 19% | 8% | 5% | 6% | 100% | 3% | 3% | 6% | 16% | 22% | 7% | |
| | BMG | AB | | AEDEHJL | DE | | | | E | | AEDEGHL* | | | AMNQPSTU* | | | | AMNPOL* | AMNFORL* | | Q | |
| WhatsApp groups with friends or family | 45 | 22 | 21 | 16 | 19 | 18 | 8 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 19 | 13 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 45 | 12 | |
| | 4% | 3% | 8% | 2% | 5% | 9% | 3% | 10% | 2% | 5% | 22% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 12% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 12% | 100% | 2% | |
| | DLM | | | DL | ADGL | | | AEDEJL | | DL | AEDEGHIL* | | | | AMNQPJL* | | | + | AMNFORL* | AMNFORJL* | | |
| None of these | 95 | 37 | 33 | 47 | 18 | 11 | 16 | 2 | 13 | 15 | 3 | 34 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | 8% | 5% | 12% | 7% | 5% | 6% | 6% | 2% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 6% | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | BEHKLMPQSTU | AB | | H | | | | | | | + | | | | + | | | + | + | + | | |
| Don't know | 94 | 32 | 22 | 35 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 3 | 9 | 14 | 1 | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | 8% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 4% | 5% | 2% | 4% | - | - | - | - | - | + | + | + | | |
| | BEFGHJLMN OPQRSU | | B | E | | | | | | | + | E | | | | | | + | + | + | | |

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| NET: News | 639 | 469 | 119 | 482 | 274 | 122 | 151 | 62 | 117 | 177 | 46 | 341 | 565 | 177 | 35 | 90 | 185 | 35 | 32 | 16 | 314 |
| | 55% | 62% | 46% | 70% | 72% | 60% | 59% | 52% | 59% | 56% | 53% | 60% | 100% | 100% | 43% | 69% | 55% | 43% | 41% | 34% | 63% |
| | CST | AC | | AFGHJKL | AFGHJKL | | | | | | * | A | ADPQRSTU | ADPQRSTU | * | ADQRST | ST | * | * | * | ADQRST |

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Overlap formulae used

ColumnProportions (5%): A/B/C/A/D/E/F/G/H/I/J/K/L/A/M/N/O/P/Q/R/S/T/U Minimum Base: 30(**) Small Base: 100(*)

ColumnMeans (5%): A/B/C/A/D/E/F/G/H/I/J/K/L/A/M/N/O/P/Q/R/S/T/U Minimum Base: 30(**) Small Base: 100(*)