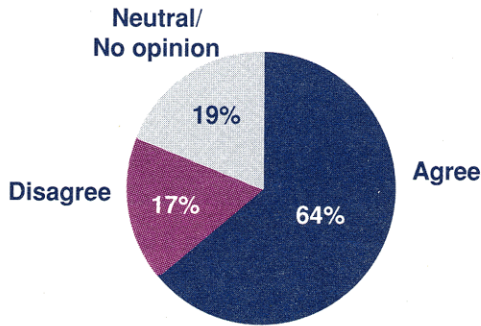


How Much Government—Devolution

Devolution—British Style Again, A Move Away from Central Authority

Question: Do you agree or disagree...“Government power in Britain is too centralized”?



Source: Survey by Market Opinion Research International (MORI), State of the Nation, 1991.

Question: I am going to read out a series of changes that a government might propose in the future, and I would like you to tell me to what extent you support or oppose each? ...Create a Scottish parliament, with some powers over levels of taxation in Scotland.

	Support	Oppose	Neither
Everyone	43	27	20
England	40	29	22
Wales	48	20	16
Scotland	72	19	8

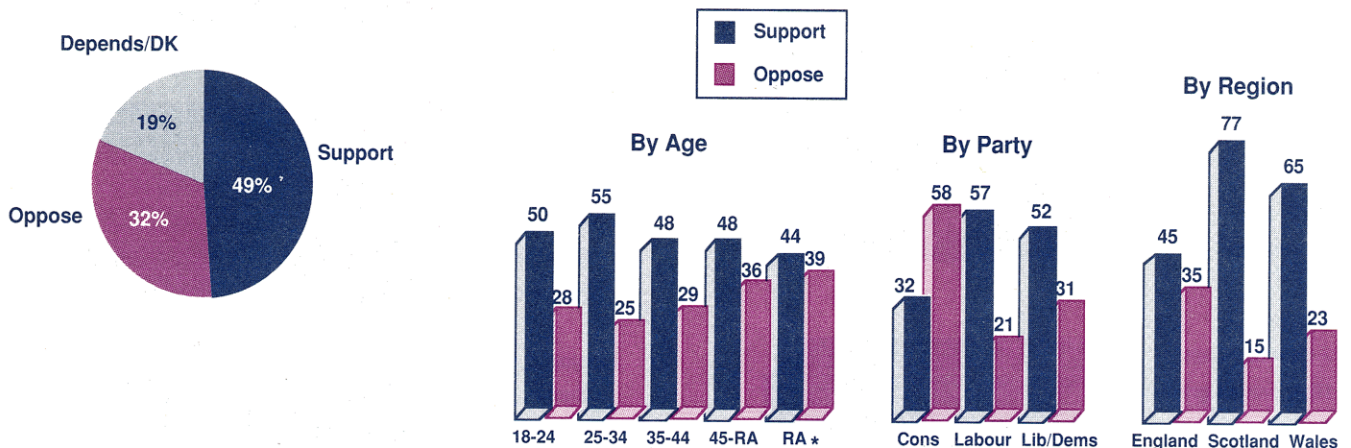
Source: Survey by Market Opinion Research International (MORI), British Public Opinion, January 20-23, 1995.

Question: In your own view, should the Scottish people have their own parliament to manage their own affairs or not?

	Everyone	Scotland
Yes, should	51	76
No, should not	31	21
Don't know	17	3

Source: Survey by the Gallup Organization, January 1995.

Question: Would you support or oppose the transfer of some powers from Westminster to elected Parliaments in Scotland and Wales and to regional assemblies in England?



Note: RA is Retired Age (65 years old).

Source: Survey by the Harris Research Centre, January 11-13, 1995.