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Strength of association with engagement

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Employee engagement is shaped by experience at work, as measured by nine themes in the survey shown below.

Engagement Index	My work	Organisational objectives and purpose	My manager	My team
74 %	83 [%] III	89% I	73 [%] 💷	85%
Difference from +2 >	Difference from -1 >	Difference from 0 previous survey	Difference from -3 <	Difference from -2 <
Difference from +14 ↔ CS2016	Difference from CS2016 +8 ↔	Difference from CS2016 +6 ∻	Difference from CS2016 +5 ↔	Difference from +5 \$
Difference from CS +10 ↔	Difference from CS +5 ↔ High Performers	Difference from CS +1 ∻ High Performers	Difference from CS +2 ↔ High Performers	Difference from CS +2 High Performers
High Performers		Resources and		Leadership and
High Performers Learning and development	Inclusion and fair treatment	Resources and workload	Pay and benefits	Leadership and managing change
Learning and	Inclusion and fair		Pay and benefits 24 % III	
Learning and development	Inclusion and fair treatment	workload		
Learning and development	Inclusion and fair treatment 81 % 1	workload 77% III	24 [%] J	managing change



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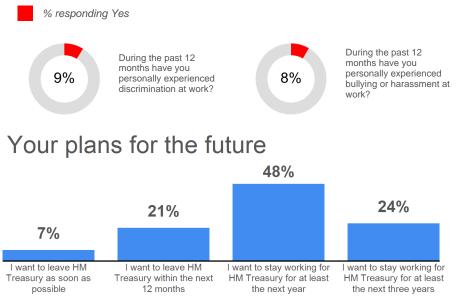
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^{further} Wellbeing

% responding positively (Answering 7,8, 9 or 10 for W01 – W03; Answering 0,1,2 or 3 for W04)



Discrimination, bullying and harassment



The table below shows how you performed on each of the nine themes ranked by the strength of association with engagement. The themes which have the strongest association with engagement should be the focus for action. See the appendix for further details.

Drivers of Engagement	Strength of association with engagement	Theme score % Positive	Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers
Leadership and managing change		65%	+1	+22 🔶	+12令
My work		83%	-1 🔶	+8 🔶	+5∻
Organisational objectives and purpose		89%	0	+6 🔶	+1 ∻
My manager		73%	-3令	+5 🔶	+2∻
Learning and development		63%	+3∻	+12 ∻	+8 🔶
Inclusion and fair treatment		81%	-2∻	+5 ∻	+2∻
Resources and workload		77%	0	+4 🔶	+1
My team		85%	-2∻	+5 ∻	+2∻
Pay and benefits		24%	+2∻	-7 🔶	-13令





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My work	83 [%] -1	Difference from previous survey		Strength of association with engagement	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither Disag	gree Strongly disagree	% Positive	Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers
B01 I am interested in my work						51	4	43	94%	0	+4 💠	+3 💠
B02 I am sufficiently challenged by my	y work					44	42	67	86%	-1 🔶	+6 🔶	+3 💠
B03 My work gives me a sense of per	sonal accomplis	hment			33		49	11 6	82%	-1 💠	+7 💠	+3 💠
B04 I feel involved in the decisions that	at affect my worl	<			22		48	15 12	70%	-3 🔶	+13 🔶	+8 💠
B05 I have a choice in deciding how I	do my work				34		49	11 5	83%	-2 💠	+9 🔶	+4 💠
Organisational objectives and purpose	89 % 0	Difference from previous survey		Strength of association with engagement	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither Disag	gree Strongly disagree				
B06 I have a clear understanding of th	ne Treasury's pu	rpose				44	48	6	93%	-1 🔶	+7 🔶	+2 💠
B07 I have a clear understanding of th	ne Treasury's ob	jectives			36	5	50	11	86%	-1 🔶	+6 🔶	+1 💠
B08 I understand how my work contrib	outes to the Trea	asury's obje	ctives		3	8	50	8	88%	+1 💠	+5 💠	+1 💠





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My manager 73 [%] -3 Difference from previous survey of association we engagement	th Strouds Agree Meither Disference from Drevous survey Difference from Drevous Survey CS2016
B09 My manager motivates me to be more effective in my job	33 43 11 9 76% -4 <> +8 <> +3 <>
B10 My manager is considerate of my life outside work	48 39 7 87% 0 +4 <>/th> +1 <>
B11 My manager is open to my ideas	48 40 7 88% -2 <> +7 <> +4 <>
B12 My manager helps me to understand how I contribute to the Treasury's objective	os 26 44 21 7 70% -1 +6 ∻ +1 ∻
B13 Overall, I have confidence in the decisions made by my manager	40 41 12 6 81% -3 ∻ +8 ∻ +2 ∻
B14 My manager recognises when I have done my job well	39 45 9 5 84% -2 <> +6 <> +2 <>
B15 I receive regular feedback on my performance	24 42 17 13 66% -5 < ↔ 0 -3 < ↔
B16 The feedback I receive helps me to improve my performance	25 44 19 9 69% -3 ↔ +7 ↔ +3 ↔
B17 I think that my performance is evaluated fairly	24 44 19 9 68% -3 ∻ +5 ∻ 0
B18 Poor performance is dealt with effectively in my team	10 33 41 12 43% -3 ∻ +4 ∻ 0
My team 85% -2 Difference from previous survey Difference from previous survey Strength of association w	th Strongly Agree Neither Disagree Strongly disagree
B19 The people in my team can be relied upon to help when things get difficult in my job	45 41 10 86% - 4 ↔ +2 ↔ -1 ↔
B20 The people in my team work together to find ways to improve the service we provide	40 47 9 86% -1 +5 <> +2 <>
B21 The people in my team are encouraged to come up with new and better ways of doing things	36 47 11 83% 0 +9 ↔ +4 ↔





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Learning and development 63 [%] +3 Difference from previous survey if association with engagement	Stroudly agree from previous survey Performers here from CS 2016					
B22 I am able to access the right learning and development opportunities when I nee to	18 50 19 11 68% + 2 ↔ +7 ↔ 0					
B23 Learning and development activities I have completed in the past 12 months hav helped to improve my performance	e 19 42 27 9 61% +4 ↔ +10 ↔ +4 ↔					
B24 There are opportunities for me to develop my career in HM Treasury	21 44 20 9 5 65% +5 < +22 <> +14 <>					
B25 Learning and development activities I have completed while working for HM Treasury are helping me to develop my career	16 41 29 10 57% +1 +13 <> +6 <>					
Inclusion and fair treatment 81% -2 Difference from previous survey Strength of association with engagement	Strongly Agree Neither Disagree Strongly agree					
B26 I am treated fairly at work	39 47 8 86% -3 <> +7 <> +4 <>					
B27 I am treated with respect by the people I work with	44 46 5 90% -1 +6 ↔ +3 ↔					
B28 I feel valued for the work I do	31 44 13 9 75% -2 <> +10 <> +5 <>					
B29 I think that HM Treasury respects individual differences (e.g. cultures, working styles, backgrounds, ideas, etc)	27 46 13 11 73% -1 <> -1 <> -5 <>					



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Resources and workload 77% 0 Difference from previous survey Strength of association with engagement	Strongly Agree Neither Disag	ree Strongly disagree	% Positive	Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers
B30 In my job, I am clear what is expected of me	27 58	95	85%	-1 🔶	+3 💠	-1 🔶
B31 I get the information I need to do my job well	22 56	12 7	79%	0	+10 💠	+4 💠
B32 I have clear work objectives	26 53	12 7	79%	-1 🔶	+4 💠	0
B33 I have the skills I need to do my job effectively	31 57	9	88%	-1	-1 🔶	-3 🔶
B34 I have the tools I need to do my job effectively	26 57	11 5	83%	+1	+13 🔶	+8 💠
B35 I have an acceptable workload	14 48 15	17 6	62%	0	+3 💠	-3 🔶
B36 I achieve a good balance between my work life and my private life	18 47 1	4 16 5	65%	+3 🔶	-2 💠	-7 🔶
Pay and benefits24%+2Difference from previous surveyStrength of association with engagement	Strongly Agree Neither Disag	ree Strongly disagree				
B37 I feel that my pay adequately reflects my performance	24 18 30	25	27%	+3 💠	-5 🔶	-12 💠
B38 I am satisfied with the total benefits package	25 23 26	22	29%	+2 💠	-5 🔶	-12 💠
B39 Compared to people doing a similar job in other organisations I feel my pay is reasonable	14 13 32	39	17%	+2 💠	-10 🔶	-18 🔶





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Leadership and managing change	65% +1 Difference from previous survey Strength of association with engagement	Strongly agree	Agree Neither	n Disagree Strongly disagree	% Positive	Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers
B40 I feel that HM Treasury as a whole is	s managed well	15	59	18 7	74%	-3 🔶	+27 💠	+16 🔶
B41 SCS in HM Treasury are sufficiently	visible	23	55	13 7	78%	-1 🔶	+23 🔶	+12 💠
B42 I believe the actions of SCS are cons	sistent with the Treasury's values	20	53	19 6	73%	+3 🔶	+24 🔶	+15 🔶
B43 I believe that the Executive Manager HM Treasury	ment Board has a clear vision for the future of	12	41	36 9	53%	-4 🔶	+10 🔶	-2 💠
B44 Overall, I have confidence in the dec	visions made by the Treasury's SCS	17	55	21	72%	0	+28 🔶	+18 🔶
B45 I feel that change is managed well in	HM Treasury	10	51	24 12	61%	+7 🔶	+31 🔶	+20 💠
B46 When changes are made in HM Trea	asury they are usually for the better	9	44	38 7	53%	+5 🔶	+23 💠	+14 💠
B47 HM Treasury keeps me informed abo	out matters that affect me	17	58	15 7	75%	+1 💠	+19 🔶	+10 💠
B48 I have the opportunity to contribute maffect me	my views before decisions are made that	9	37	31 17 6	46%	-3 🔶	+8 💠	-1 🔶
B49 I think it is safe to challenge the way	things are done in HM Treasury	16	48	20 13	64%	+2 💠	+21 💠	+16 🔶



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Engagement	Strongly Agree agree	Neither Disagree Strongly disagree	% Positive Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016 Difference from CS High Performers
B50 I am proud when I tell others I am part of HM Treasury	45	43 8	88% +2 ∻	+29 \diamond +22 \diamond
B51 I would recommend HM Treasury as a great place to work	35	45 14 6	79% +1 ∻	+28
B52 I feel a strong personal attachment to HM Treasury	28	37 20 12	65% +4 ∻	+17 +9 +
B53 HM Treasury inspires me to do the best in my job	26	43 21 7	70% +1 ∻	+24
B54 HM Treasury motivates me to help it achieve its objectives	23	44 23 8	67% +2 ∻	+23
Taking action	Strongly Agree agree	Neither Disagree Strongly disagree		
B55 I believe that SCS in HM Treasury will take action on the results from this survey	18	48 20 9	66% -1	+20 \diamond +12 \diamond
B56 I believe that managers where I work will take action on the results from this survey	23	44 19 10	67% -3 ∻	+11
B57 Where I work, I think effective action has been taken on the results of the last survey	14 33	40 9 5	47% +5 ◊	+12





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Organisational culture	strough allerence from CS 2016 from CS High
B58 I am trusted to carry out my job effectively	38 52 5 90% -1 ↔ +2 ↔ 0
B59 I believe I would be supported if I try a new idea, even if it may not work	26 52 13 7 79% -1 +10 ↔ +5 ↔
B60 When I talk about HM Treasury I say "we" rather than "they"	39 45 11 84% +2 <> +13 <> +5 <>
B61 I have some really good friendships at work	31 42 16 10 73% +1 -4 <> -8 <>
Leadership statement	Strongly Agree Neither Disagree Strongly agree
B62 SCS in HM Treasury actively role model the behaviours set out in the Civil Service Leadership Statement	15 52 26 5 67% +10 ∻ +23 ∻ +17 ∻
B63 My manager actively role models the behaviours set out in the Civil Service Leadership Statement	25 47 20 6 72% +2 <> +11 <> +5 <>





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Wellbeing	0-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	% Positive	Difference from previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers

Unlike the questions B01-B63 which ask people to rate their agreement from strongly agree to strongly disagree, the four wellbeing questions use a 11-point scale. The scale ranges from 0 to 10 for each question, where 0 is equivalent to 'not at all' (e.g. 'not at all satisfied' or 'not at all worthwhile') and where 10 is equivalent to 'completely satisfied' or 'completely anxious').

For questions W01, W02 and W03 the percent positive is the proportion answering 7, 8, 9 or 10 to each question.

W01 Overall, how satisfied are you with your life nowadays?	0 20 57 12	70% -1	+3 0
W02 Overall, to what extent do you feel that the things you do in your life are worthwhile?	3 19 55 18	73% +1	+2
W03 Overall, how happy did you feel yesterday?	13 23 48 16	64% 0	0 -2 🔶
For question W04 the percent positive is the proportion answering 0, 1, 2 or 3 to the question.	0-1 2-3 4-5 6-10		
W04 Overall, how anxious did you feel yesterday?	16 30 20 35	46% +3 ∻	-4



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Your plans for the future							3 • 9 • 1 • •	
C01. Which of the following statements most reflects your working for HM Treasury?	current thoughts about			Difference from	previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers	
I want to leave HM	Treasury as soon as possible		•		-1	-2 🔶	-4 🔶	
I want to leave HM Treas	ury within the next 12 months		2	-1%	⊦1	+6 🔶	+2 🔶	
I want to stay working for HM Trea	sury for at least the next year		4	-8%	⊦1	+16 🔶	+9 🔶	
I want to stay working for HM Treasury fo	r at least the next three years		2	4%	-1	-19 🔶	-27 🔶	
The Civil Service Code								
Differences are based on '% Yes' score	%	⁄es	% No	% Yes Difference from	previous survey	Difference from CS2016	Difference from CS High Performers	
D01. Are you aware of the Civil Service Code?		97	9	7%	0	+5 🔶	+2 💠	
D02. Are you aware of how to raise a concern under the C	ivil Service Code?	63	37 6		⊦3 ∻	-4 🔶	-11 🔶	
D03. Are you confident that if you raised a concern under Treasury it would be investigated properly?	the Civil Service Code in HM	81	19 8	1%	-1	+13 🔶	+6 🔶	





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All questions by theme

Discrimination, harassment and bullying

E01. During the past 12 months, have you personally experienced discrimination at work?

	% Yes	% No	% Prefer not to say	
2016	9	86		5
2015	6	89		4
CS2016	12	80		9

E03. During the past 12 months, have you personally experienced bullying or harassment at work?

2016	8	88	
2015	7	88	4
CS2016	11	82	7

For respondents who selected 'Yes' to question E03.

E05. Did you report the bullying and harassment you experienced?

	% Yes	% No % Prefer r	not to say
2016	38	44	18
CS2016	34	50	16

For respondents who selected 'Yes' to question E03. E06. In your opinion, has this issue been resolved?

2016	28	47	25
CS2016	20	60	20

For respondents who selected 'Yes' to question E01.

E02. On which of the following grounds have you personally experienced discrimination at work in the past 12 months? (multiple selection)

Response Count				
Age	23			
Caring responsibilities				
Disability	14			
Ethnic background	11			
Gender	23			
Gender reassignment or perceived gender				
Grade, pay band or responsibility level	34			
Main spoken/written language or language ability				
Religion or belief				
Sexual orientation				
Social or educational background	14			
Working location				
Working pattern	19			
Any other grounds	17			
Prefer not to say				

For respondents who selected 'Yes' to question E03.

E04. Who were you bullied or harassed by at work in the past 12 months? (multiple selection)

25	A colleague
32	Your manager
12	Another manager in my part of HM Treasury
	Someone you manage
15	Someone who works for another part of HM Treasury
	A member of the public
	Someone else
	Prefer not to say

Please note: Counts of fewer than ten responses are suppressed and replaced with '--'





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НМ	Treasury questions	Strongly agree	Agree Neithe	r Disagree	Strongly disagree	% Positive	Difference from previous survey	
F01	The Treasury Executive Management Board (EMB) is good at providing leadership	10	53	29	7	63%	+1	
F02	The Treasury Executive Management Board (EMB) is good at communicating	14	56	2	20 7	71%	+2 💠	
F03	The department is doing a good job at moving people to where they are most needed	9	47	30	11	56%	+4 💠	
F04	The department is doing a good job of recruiting the right people for our future needs	8	45	33	12	53%	-3 🔶	
F05	The department is doing a good job of retaining its most talented people	19	30	35	15	21%	+1 💠	
F06	There is good cooperation between my team and teams in other groups that we have dealings with	22	61	1	11	83%	-2 💠	
F07	My team has the right people with the right skills in the right post	17	55	1	7 10	71%	-4 🔶	
F08	In the department we recognise and reward good performers	8	44	25	16 6	52%	+2 💠	
F09	I believe managers in my organisation are held accountable for the value for money resulting from their decisions	8	42	36	10	50%	-1 🔶	

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Appendix

Glossary of key terms	5
% positive	The proportion who selected either "agree" or "strongly agree" for a question (or all questions within a theme in the case of Theme score % positive).
Previous survey	Comparisons to the previous survey relate to the results from the 2015 Civil Service People Survey. Where a question is flagged as changed since the last survey comparisons should be treated with caution as changes to wording may affect how people respond to the question.
CS2016	The CS2016 benchmark is the median percent positive across all organisations that participated in the 2016 Civil Service People Survey.
CS High Performers	For each question, this is the upper quartile score across all organisations that have taken part in the 2016 Civil Service People Survey.
Rounding	

Results are presented as whole numbers for ease of reading, with rounding performed at the last stage of calculation for maximum accuracy.

Statistical significance: 🔶

Statistical testing has been carried out on the comparisons between this year's results and your previous survey, CS2016 results and CS High Performers results to identify differences that are statistically significant. You can therefore be confident that the difference represents a real difference in opinion between the results.

The employee engagement index

The survey includes five questions that make up the engagement index (B50-B54). The index score represents the average level of engagement in that unit and ranges from 0 to 100. An index score of 0 represents all respondents in that unit saying they strongly disagree to all five engagement questions and a score of 100 represents all respondents saying they strongly agree to all five engagement questions and a score of 100 represents all respondents saying they strongly disagree to all five engagement questions and a score of 100 represents all respondents saying they strongly agree to all five engagement questions.

The drivers of engagement

While the engagement index shows the average level of engagement, it does not show what you can do to improve engagement. Nine themes have been included in the survey to measure employees' experiences at work. A statistical technique, stepwise regression, is used to identify the extent to which each of these themes has an association with engagement. The themes identified as having an association are called the 'Drivers of engagement'. The strength of association with engagement varies by theme and is illustrated by a 4-bar icon, as shown below. Themes with a full 4-bar icon have the strongest association with engagement.

strength of association				util
with engagement		all	dl	the analysis has not identified a significant association with engagement

Confidentiality

The survey was carried out as part of the 2016 Civil Service People Survey, which is managed by the Cabinet Office on behalf of all participating organisations. The Cabinet Office commissioned ORC International to carry out the survey. ORC International is a member of the Market Research Society, and is bound by their strict code of conduct and confidentiality rules. These rules do not allow for the breakdown of the results to the extent where the anonymity of individuals may be compromised. Groups of fewer than 10 respondents will not be reported on, however their responses do contribute to the overall scores for the unit and organisation they belong to and the overall Civil Service results.

