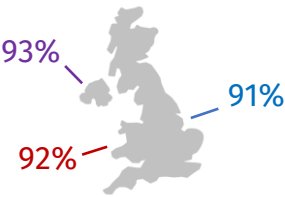


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Awareness and recognition of the Food Hygiene Rating Scheme (FHRS)

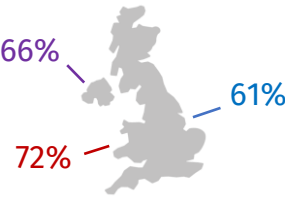
91% had **heard of the FHRS** across **England**, **Wales** and **Northern Ireland**

By country



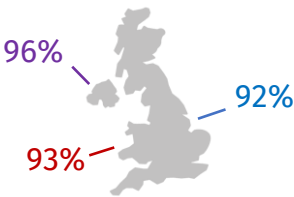
62% had heard of the FHRS and **knew at least a bit about it**

By country

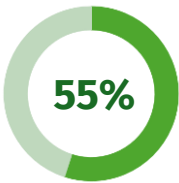


92% had **seen the FHRS sticker before**

By country

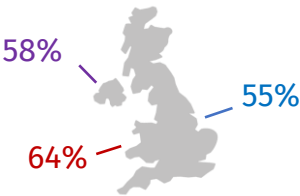


Checking FHRS ratings

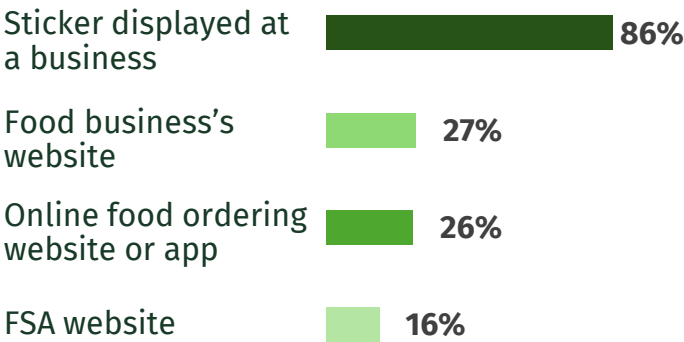


had **checked the food hygiene rating of a business** in the previous 12 months.

By country



Most common ways of checking:



Use of FHRS in decision making

Among those who had heard of the FHRS....



had **decided against using a food business in the past 12 months** because it did not display its FHRS sticker

Mandatory display of FHRS ratings

Among those who had heard of the FHRS....



agreed businesses **should be required by law to display their food hygiene rating at their premises**

Lowest ratings considered acceptable

Among those who had heard of the FHRS, the **lowest ratings generally considered acceptable** were:



Online display of FHRS ratings

Over 9 in 10 agreed **FHRS ratings should be clearly displayed on the websites of...**

