



Essex Centre for the Study of Integrity – ECSI

Take the Integrity Test

How do you rate in integrity compared with Britons in general?

To find out, please consider the following and indicate if you think they are justified or not. After you have completed the answers, add the scores together and then turn over this leaflet to see what your score says about you.

A. Avoiding paying the fare on public transport.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always justified

B. Cheating on taxes if you have a chance.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

C. Driving faster than the speed limit.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

D. Keeping money you found in the street.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

E. Lying in your own interests.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

F. Not reporting accidental damage you have done to a parked car.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

G. Throwing away litter in a public place.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

H. Driving under the influence of alcohol.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

I. Making up things on a job application.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

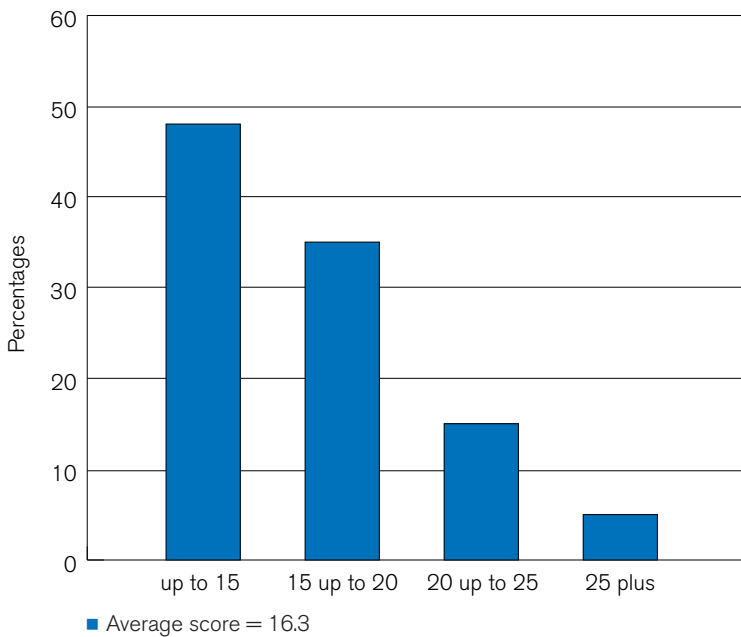
J. Buying something you know is stolen.

1. Never justified 2. Rarely justified 3. Sometimes justified 4. Always Justified

The meaning of the scores

- Up to 15** You are a very honest person who really wants to do the right thing.
- 15 up to 20** You are above average in integrity as far as Britons are concerned, but you do not mind bending the rules occasionally.
- 20 up to 25** You are relaxed about breaking the rules when it suits you, but you are not fundamentally dishonest.
- 25 plus** You do not believe in living by the rules and find it easy to break them when it suits you.

Distribution of scores on the Integrity Test for Britons from a national survey conducted in September 2011.



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