



Results for South East Water	Percentage of household customers	Range and average for all Water only Companies ¹	Comments or points of interest
Satisfaction with water se	rvices		•
Overall, satisfied with their water supply (Sample size: 550) ²	91% 91% 90% 91% 93% 93% 90% 89% 87% 86% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	97% to 89% Average: 93%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Satisfaction with value for			
Satisfied with value for money of water services (Sample size: 538)	64% 72% ^{83%} 67% 74% 69% 70% 70% 66% 65% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	80% to 65% Average: 75%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Views on fairness and affor	ordability of charges		
Agree that water and sewerage charges are affordable (Sample size: 546)	67% 80% 78% 74% 67% 75% 78% 82% 76% 74% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	88% to 70% Average: 77%	
Agree that charges are fair (Sample size: 532)	50% 66% 64% 60% 59% 61% 62% 64% 56% 58% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	73% to 58% Average: 64%	
Care and trust			
Agree their water company cares about the service they provide to customers (Sample size: 525)	57% 69% 70% 59% 72% 60% 60% 61% 52% 50% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	70% to 50% Average: 59%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Trust their water company (mean score – where 10 is trust completely and 1 is do not trust at all) (Sample size: 546)	7.66 ^{7.87} _{7.21} ^{7.44} ^{7.39} ^{7.36} ^{7.60} ^{6.63} ^{6.63} ^{6.63} ^{6.63} ^{6.63} ^{6.58} ¹³ ¹⁴ ¹⁵ ¹⁶ ¹⁷ ¹⁸ ¹⁹ ²⁰ ²¹ ²² ^{Year}	7.54 to 6.58 Average: 7.01	Significantly lower than WoC average
Awareness of consumer r		- -	1
Likely to contact company if worried about paying bill (Sample size: 537)	71% 76% 74% 73% 76% 74% 76% 76% 65% 67% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	76% to 64% Average: 69%	
Aware of, or on WaterSure tariff (Sample size: 550*)	8% 11% 13% 11% 10% 11% 10% 9% 2% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	14% to 8% Average: 11%	





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Aware of Priority Services (Sample size: 550*) ³	59% 52% 42% 41% 50% 40% 49% 40% 48% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	54% to 36% Average: 45%	
Contact			
Contacted water company with a query in last 12 months (Sample size: 548*)	24% 25%22%21% _{17%17%} 21% 15%16% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	24% to 14% Average: 20%	
Reason for contacting water company was to complain (Sample size: who made contact: 116)	9% 12% 15% 9% 4% 1% 3% 0% 0% 3% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	5% to 0% Average: 2%	
Overall, satisfied with the way their query was handled (Sample size: who made contact: 115)	64% 68% ^{83%} 82% 88% 74% 77% 72% 76% 69% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	85% to 58% Average: 74%	





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Water on tap			
Satisfied with colour and appearance of tap water (Sample size: 550)	91% 89% 89% 90% 89% 89% 90% ^{95%} 93% 91% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	95% to 89% Average: 92%	
Satisfied with taste and smell (Sample size: 543)	84% 84% 82% 84% 84% 87% 87% 84% 78% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	89% to 82% Average: 85%	
Satisfied with hardness/ softness (Sample size: 534)	59% 61% 54% 57% 57% 57% 55% 58% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	63% to 42% Average: 52%	
Satisfied with safety (Sample size: 535)	90% 93% 93% 92% 92% 92% 95% 87% 89% 89% 88% 89% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	94% to 86% Average: 90%	
Satisfied with reliability of supply (Sample size: 550)	97% 97% 99% 97% 98% 95% 98% 93% 92% 92% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	99% to 92% Average: 96%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Satisfied with water pressure (Sample size: 549)	90% 92% 89% 85% 85% 87% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 92% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85% 85	92% to 84% Average: 87%	





South East Water sewerage services are provided by Southern Water (378 respondents), Thames Water (115 respondents) or South West Water (15 respondents)⁴







Results for sewerage service providers for South East Water	Percentage of household customers	Range and average for all Water only Companies ¹	Comments or points of interest
Satisfaction with sewerage			
Overall, satisfied with their sewerage services (Sample size: 506)	82% 92% 91% 81% 89% 82% 80% 81% 62% 63% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	82% to 48% Average: 73%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Satisfaction with value for	money		
Satisfied with value for money of sewerage services . (Sample size: 497)	63% 73% 78% 65% 74% 73% 69% 71% 66% 67% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	81% to 57% Average: 72%	
A sewerage system that we	orks		
Satisfied with sewerage company actions to reduce smells from sewage treatment works (Sample size: 394)	61% 82% 79% 69% 78% 72% 78% 83% 69% 61% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	80% to 50% Average: 69%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Satisfied with maintenance of sewer pipes & treatment works (Sample size:423)	65% ^{84%} ^{84%} _{68%} ^{83%} _{69%} ^{73%} ^{79%} _{65%} _{60%} 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	82% to 49% Average: 70%	Significantly lower than WoC average
Satisfied with company cleaning of waste water before releasing it back into the environment (Sample size: 427)	71% 87% 82% 66% 81% 78% 69% 77% 40% 26% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	58% to 18% Average: 41%	Significantly lower than WoC average Significant change since last year
Satisfied with sewerage company actions to minimise sewer flooding (Sample size: 442)	64% 83% 80% 68% 79% 69% 68% 75% 50% 43% 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 Year	64% to 29% Average: 50%	





Sample Profile Regional sample profile for South East Water (Sample size: 550*) Gender Male 49% Female 51% Age 18-29 1% 30-44 10% 45-59 34% 60-74 39% 75+ 16% SEC Higher managerial, administrative & professional occupations 55% Intermediate occupations 21% Routine & manual occupations 19% Never worked and long-term unemployed/ Full-time students 5% 1% Refused Water meter 84% Proportion having a water meter

• Statistical reliability on sample size of 550 is +/- 3.96%

¹ Average (mean) proportion for all WoCs based on weighted data. All other data is unweighted.

² Sample size excludes don't knows unless followed by an asterisk *.

³ Question wording changed in 2014.

⁴ There is no differentiation between sewerage service providers within the results.