

“The Dis-United Kingdom”: Only 12% of Brits “Have Trust in Truss”

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***Liz Truss** will be sworn in as the new UK Prime Minister today. As the successor to Boris Johnson who [quit after an historic number of ministerial resignations](#), Truss is also a member of the Tory party and will be the third female prime minister to lead the country.*

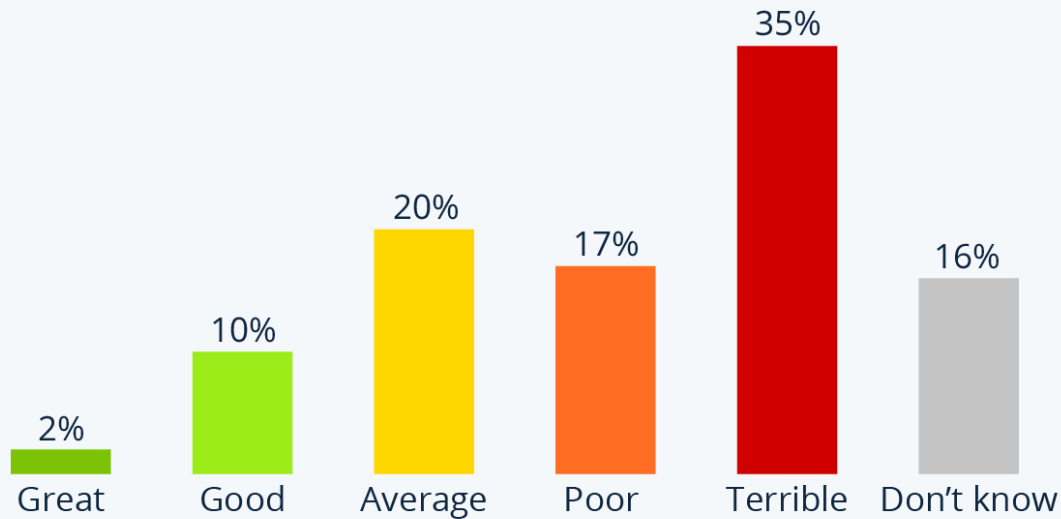
Truss appears to have garnered little support in the UK. According to a poll taken by [YouGov](#), only 12 percent of [UK](#) respondents think she will make a “good” or a “great” prime minister. Where 55 percent of respondents said they thought Johnson was a “poor” or “terrible” PM, Truss has fared little better with 52 percent holding the view. Looking back beyond Johnson, a majority of Britons said Truss would be worse than every past leader going back to Thatcher. This includes 34 percent of respondents saying she would be worse than Theresa May.

The survey also found that while on the whole people have not made their mind up about the incoming PM, 38 percent of people agreed that she was “hardworking” and 65 percent of people said she was “out of touch with ordinary people.”

Only 12% Of Brits Have Trust in Truss



Share of UK respondents that think Liz Truss will make a good or bad UK Prime Minister



1,651 GB adults surveyed on 29-30 August 2022.

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