

Devolution for Cornwall: What future now?



Cornwall Chamber of Commerce: Business Plan for Cornwall

## The Cornwall Business Community's View

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Jan – Feb 2015 Business Survey

Open to all businesses in Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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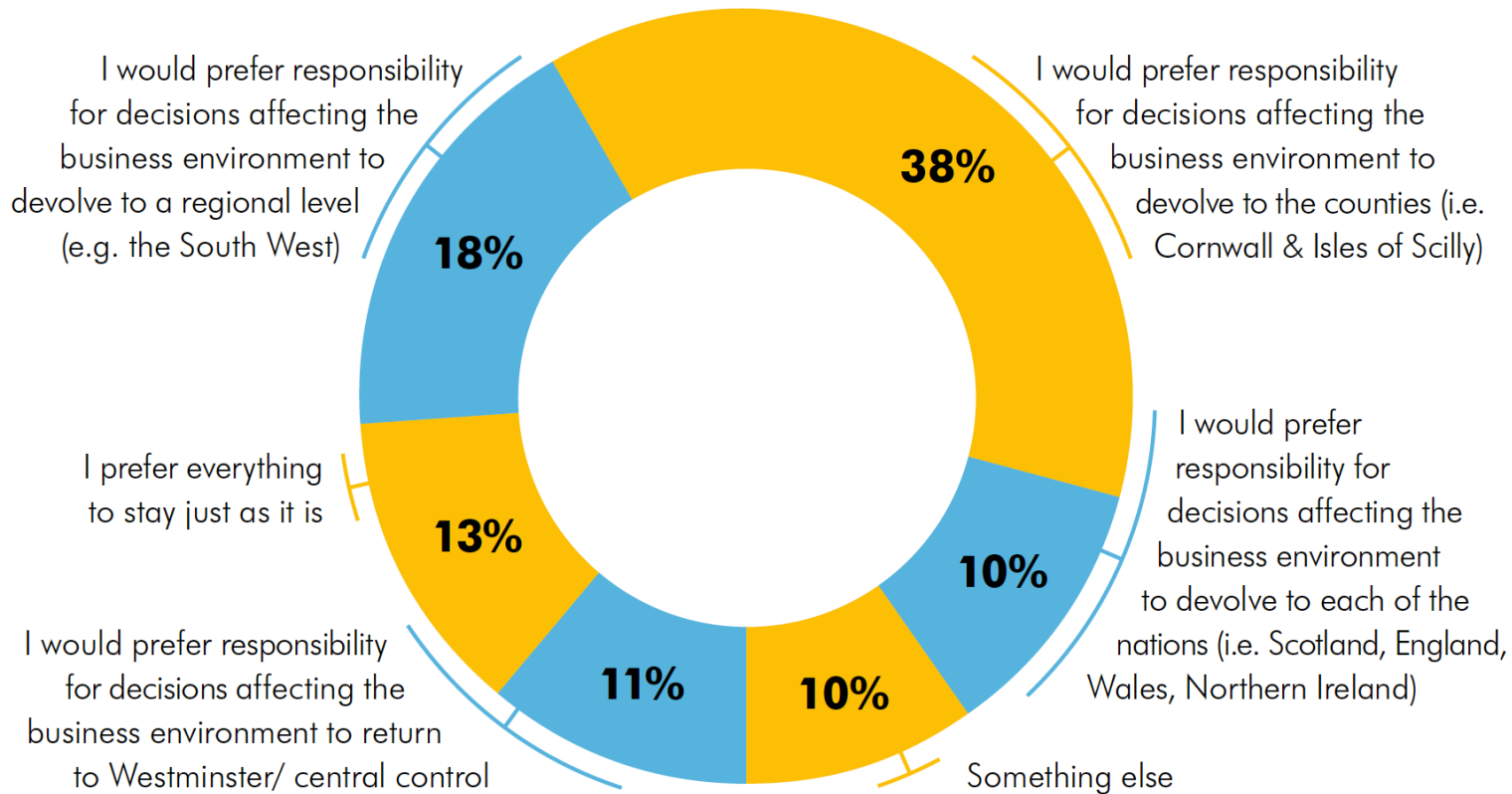
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With consideration to your business in Cornwall, which best describes your current position in the devolution debate?



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### The European Context

The effect of withdrawal from Europe:

82% Negative

3% Positive

3% No impact

12% Don't know

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Increases to Taxation

49% would be open to higher taxation

**If**, this was retained locally, with determination of spend made locally

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Overall Cornwall Chamber of Commerce Calls for:

Developing clarity about the exact form of devolution

Establishing a Cornwall & Scilly leaders group

Organising locally to pick up and progress the agreed model for devolution – this model must have the confidence of local and national government.

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Thank you

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