# Figure 1 How we built up the giving estimate - combining datasets

Inputs	Savanta	Key units of measurement		
1. Core	MillionaireVue	High Net Worth (HNW £1m+)	Respondents are asked	
	MillVue includes questions on giving commissioned by Beacon Collaborative.  The quarterly survey targets individuals with investable wealth > £1 million, capping off at £30m.	c1,000 – 1,500 surveys p/annum (5yr total = 5,901)	quarterly about their £ donation to charitable causes over the last 3 months	
		Very High Net Worth (VHNW £5m+)		
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2. Bolt-on	Giving List Sunday Times Rich List 2025	Ultra High Net Worth (UHNW £30m+)	The Sunday Times records the annual donations made by the wealthiest in the UK	
		c100 data points p/annum (5yr = 503)	wealthest in the ox	
		This data is web-scraped and added to our MillVue dataset.		
		This helps to include a median estimate from the wealthiest in the UK, while helping us accommodate <b>exceptionally high one-off gifts</b> (or in stats speak, outliers) into the model.		

Total base for 2024: n = 1,838 | Total base for 5 year rolled data: n = 7,528

Figure 2 Trends in total annual giving including the biggest outlying gifts

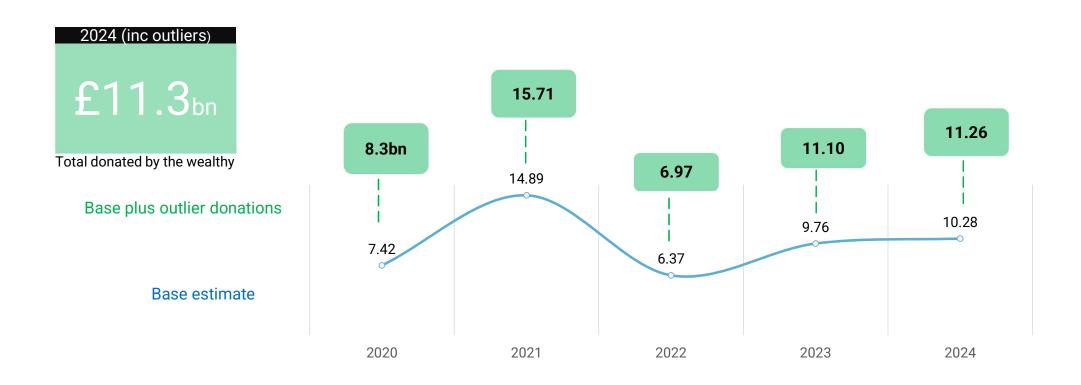
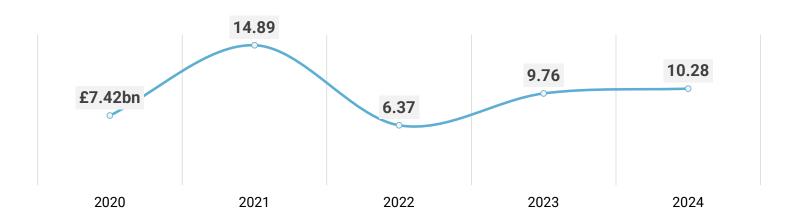


Figure 3 Trends in total annual giving excluding large outlying gifts

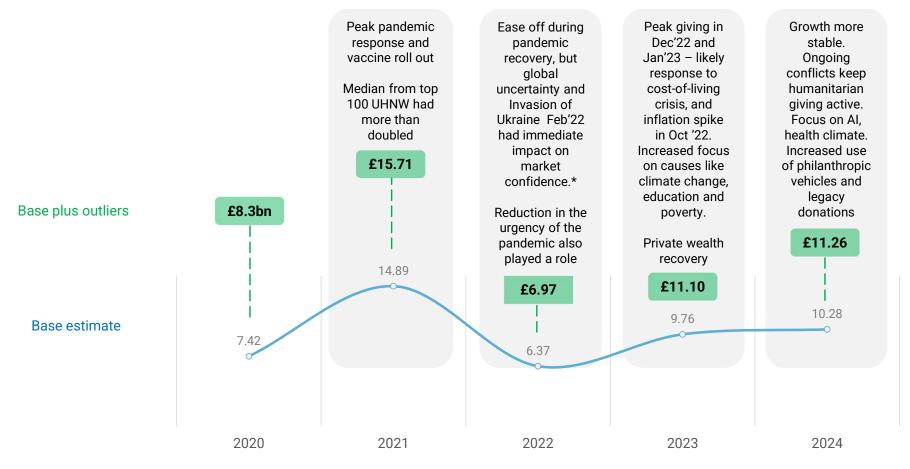


## Giving estimates (annual)



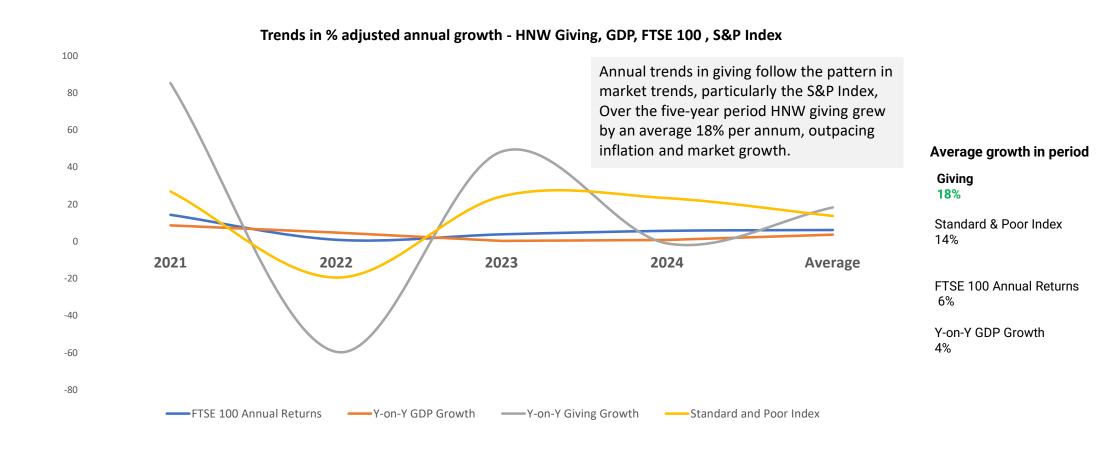
Total estimates are based on weighted medians of giving by HNW (£1m+), VHNW (£5m+) and UHNW (£30m+), sourced by MillVue, and Sunday Times top 100 donations. MillVue medians have been annualised as they reflect quarterly responses.

Figure 4 External events may explain some of the trends in giving



<sup>\*</sup>Note: giving in response to the Ukraine war would have built up over time post initial uncertainty and market volatility.

Figure 5 At an annual average of 18%, HNW giving growth compares well with market returns



## Figure 6 Data do not show evidence of strong seasonal effects in HNW giving

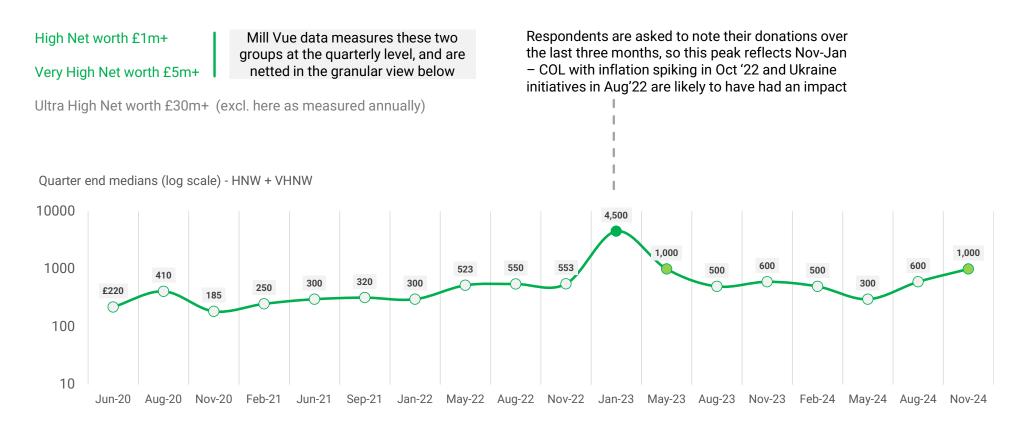
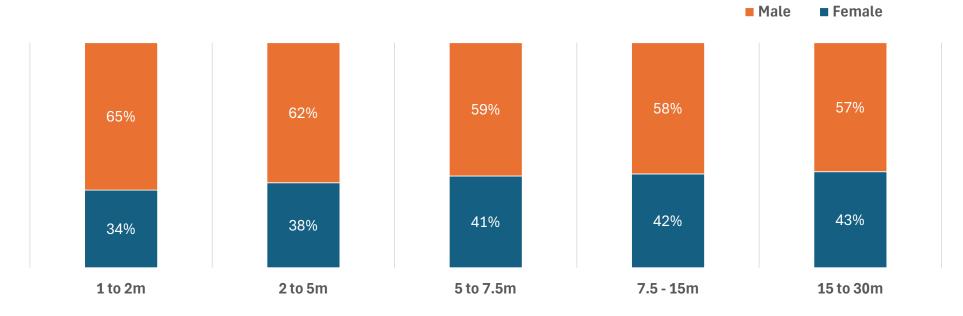


Figure 7 Female participation in giving increases with wealth





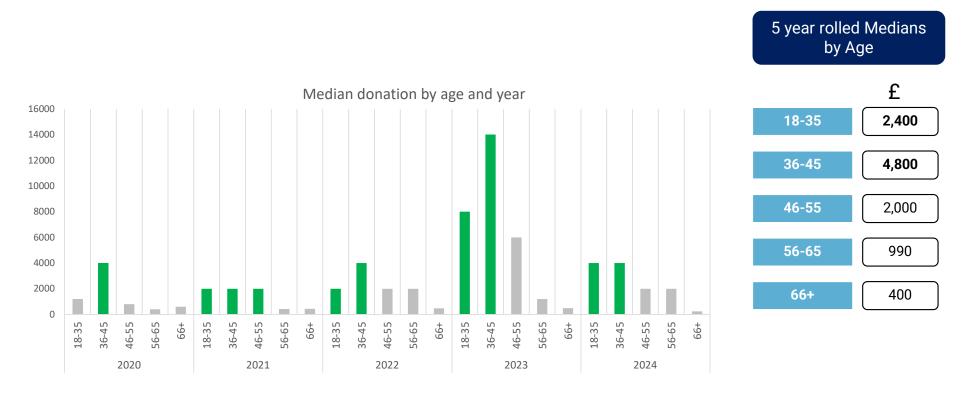
Disposable Assets £m

Based on a 5-year view of the MillVue (HNW + VHNW) data. Total base = 7,018



## Figure 8 Trends in giving by age show higher donations by younger age-groups

Those between 36 and 45yrs tend to respond with higher donations and there's an indication that younger wealthy individuals are donating more in the recent two years

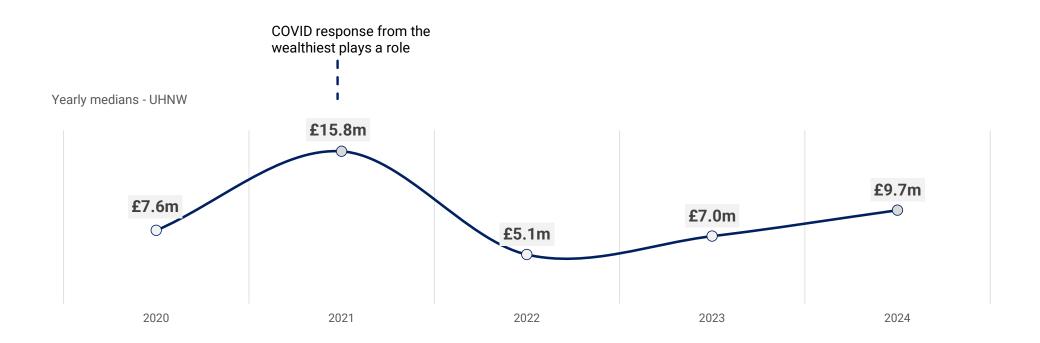


Based on a 5-year view of the MillVue (HNW + VHNW) data. Medians are annualised.

## Figure 9 Peak giving by UHNW donors registered in 2021 response to COVID

#### Ultra High Net Worth £30m+

Derived from STGL Top 100 donors and reflects annual amounts



## Figure 10 A granular look at the top 100 donations by decile

£ Median giving by decile (Sunday Times Giving List - Top 100 donations) - 2024



## Figure 11 The 'top 6' account for a sizeable and increasing share of Top 100

Cumulative giving from the Top 100, shows the top 6 account for around 40-60% of the total donation value

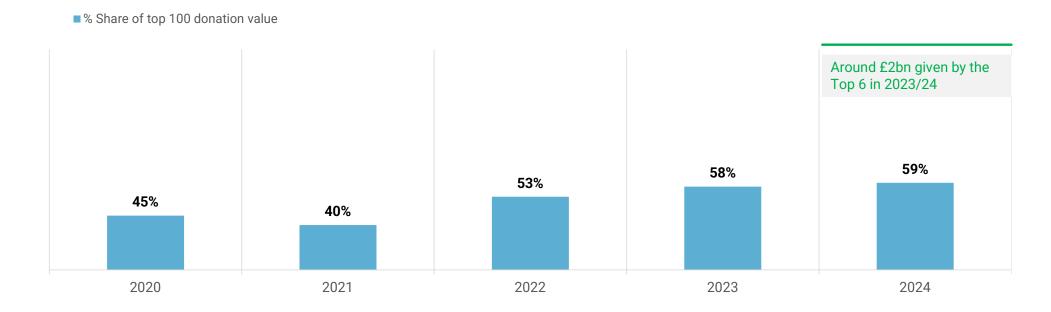


Figure 12 Summary of number and value of outliers added each year

Year	Number of outliers added	Value £bn	
2020	x2	£0.88bn	
2021	x3	£0.82bn	
2022	x2	£0.60bn	<b>2024</b> £983m donated by Sir Chris Hohn
2023	x3	£1.34bn	This donation clearly pulls ahead of others in 2024 (as supported by boxplots and z-scoring / standard deviations)
2024	x1	£0.98bn	Therefore, we add absolute donation value for this very generous gift to the base estimate from the model (which is calculated from medians). This process gives us a more <b>complete</b> picture of giving.

## Figure 13 Market sizing calculations: general approach

The median from each wealth band was extrapolated to the known population for each group, while taking donation rates into account. While there are nuances in how the medians and weights are produced, the final calculation for the base estimate is set out here.

