

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Cardiff South and Penarth

2011 Census of Population (Office for National Statistics, General Register Office for Scotland, NI Statistics and Research Agency)

Table numbers refer to published Census output tables; Ranks are highest=1 to lowest=650 (for UK)

Table KS101: Usual resident population

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	52,761	49.1%	49.1%	49.1%	305
Females	54,694	50.9%	50.9%	50.9%	346
People living in households	106,186	98.8%	98.3%	98.2%	276
People living in communal establishments	1,269	1.2%	1.7%	1.8%	335
Students living away from home ¹	899	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	23.4	-	-	-	201

1. Schoolchild or full-time student aged 4 and over at their non term-time address.

Table KS102: Age structure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	21,632	20.1%	18.1%	18.8%	135
16 to 24	13,089	12.2%	12.2%	11.9%	172
25 to 44	33,760	31.4%	24.7%	27.3%	83
45 to 64	24,399	22.7%	26.6%	25.6%	536
65 and older	14,575	13.6%	18.3%	16.4%	522

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	46,868	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	16,489	35.2%	30.8%	30.6%	76
Aged 65 and older	5,120	10.9%	13.7%	12.5%	530
Aged under 65	11,369	24.3%	17.1%	18.1%	62
One family	26,178	55.9%	62.8%	61.7%	549
Lone parent with dependent children	4,190	8.9%	7.5%	7.2%	115
Other	4,201	9.0%	6.5%	7.7%	145

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	46,868	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	15,920	34.0%	38.1%	33.9%	333
With dependent children	2,937	6.3%	4.6%	4.2%	92
Without dependent children	12,983	27.7%	33.4%	29.7%	453

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	89,562	83.3%	95.6%	87.2%	511
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	84,906	79.0%	93.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	695	0.6%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	352	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	3,609	3.4%	1.8%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	3,565	3.3%	1.0%	2.0%	115
White and Black Caribbean	1,369	1.3%	0.4%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	715	0.7%	0.1%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	707	0.7%	0.3%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	774	0.7%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	7,806	7.3%	2.3%	6.9%	168
Indian	2,182	2.0%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	2,038	1.9%	0.4%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	1,337	1.2%	0.3%	0.7%	
Chinese	872	0.8%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	1,377	1.3%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	4,169	3.9%	0.6%	3.0%	122
African	2,566	2.4%	0.4%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	567	0.5%	0.1%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	1,036	1.0%	0.1%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	2,353	2.2%	0.5%	0.9%	69
Arab	1,673	1.6%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	680	0.6%	0.2%	0.6% ¹	

... Data not available

1. UK rate not available, rate for England and Wales is shown for illustrative purposes.

Differences in the terminology and data collection of the country specific Scotland question make these categories difficult to compare.

2. The 'African' category in the Scottish question is presented in a separate section to the 'Caribbean' or 'Black' category, however, under the harmonised output these two categories are output as part of Black/African/Caribbean/Black British'.

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	93,223	86.8%	94.5%	87.3%	486
England	14,653	13.6%	20.8%	71.9%	571
Scotland	864	0.8%	0.8%	8.2%	537
Wales	77,346	72.0%	72.7%	4.4%	22
Northern Ireland	334	0.3%	0.3%	2.9%	446
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	26	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	72
Ireland	580	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	315
Other European Union	3,422	3.2%	1.8%	3.5%	229
Member states in March 2001	1,605	1.5%	0.9%	1.6%	197
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	1,817	1.7%	0.9%	1.9%	248
Other countries	10,230	9.5%	3.3%	8.4%	149

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	Wales	England and Wales	
All usual residents	107,455	...	3,063,456
All passports ³	89,498
No passport	18,809	17.5%	22.4%	16.9%	296
United Kingdom	81,392	75.7%	74.5%	75.2%	314
Republic of Ireland	523	0.5%	0.3%	1.4%	288
Other Europe: EU countries	3,160	2.9%	1.4%	3.4%	207
Other Europe: Non EU countries	225	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	184
Africa	863	0.8%	0.3%	0.9%	179
Middle East and Asia	2,601	2.4%	1.0%	2.0%	129
North America and the Caribbean	401	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	245
Central America	18	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	134
South America	61	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	223
Antarctica and Oceania	253	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	231

1. England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not collect data on passports.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales & Northern Ireland

3. Total number of passports held by people living in the constituency. One person may hold more than one passport.

Table KS206: Household language¹

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	Wales	England and Wales	
All households	46,868	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	42,596	90.9%	96.7%	91.2%	438
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,553	3.3%	1.4%	3.7%	180
No people aged 16 and over in household but at least one person aged 3 to 15 has English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	415	0.9%	0.2%	0.8%	130
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	2,304	4.9%	1.7%	4.3%	141

... No data available

1. For England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not provide comparative data.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Table KS209: Religion

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ¹
	Count	%	Wales	England and Wales	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	54,749	51.0%	57.6%	59.3%	495
Buddhist	497	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%	149
Hindu	1,418	1.3%	0.3%	1.5%	141
Jewish	98	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	291
Muslim	8,700	8.1%	1.5%	4.8%	97
Sikh	336	0.3%	0.1%	0.8%	186
Other religion	397	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	300
No religion	33,116	30.8%	32.1%	25.1%	91
Religion not stated	8,144	7.6%	7.6%	7.2%	152

1. Due to differences in the respective census questions, results for England and Wales, Scotland, and Northern Ireland are not directly comparable. Consequently, constituencies are ranked within their respective census areas.

Table KS301: Health

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	107,455	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	51,672	48.1%	46.6%	47.6%	258
Good health	33,372	31.1%	31.1%	33.6%	553
Fair health	14,194	13.2%	14.6%	13.2%	342
Bad health	6,033	5.6%	5.8%	4.3%	107
Very bad health	2,184	2.0%	1.8%	1.3%	35

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	46,868	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	26,323	56.2%	67.4%	63.5%	526
Owned outright	11,226	24.0%	35.4%	30.6%	535
Owned with a mortgage or loan	15,097	32.2%	32.0%	32.9%	396
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	199	0.4%	0.3%	0.7%	472
Social rented¹	9,718	20.7%	16.5%	18.2%	198
Rented from council (Local Authority)	5,198	11.1%	9.8%		233
Other social rented	4,520	9.6%	6.6%	8.3%	196
Private rented	9,861	21.0%	14.1%	16.3%	106
Private landlord or letting agency	9,075	19.4%	12.7%	14.8%	108
Other private rented	786	1.7%	1.5%	1.4%	139
Living rent free	767	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	152

1. Public social housing in Northern Ireland is owned and administered by the regional Northern Ireland Housing Executive, rather than local authorities.

Table KS404: Cars or vans

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	46,868	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	14,004	29.9%	22.9%	26.0%	179
1 car or van in household	21,305	45.5%	43.0%	42.2%	62
2 cars or vans in household	9,385	20.0%	25.8%	24.5%	491
3 cars or vans in household	1,691	3.6%	6.1%	5.4%	516
4 or more cars or vans in household	483	1.0%	2.2%	1.9%	516

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	85,823	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	21,976	25.6%	25.9%	23.2%	227
Level 1 qualifications	10,746	12.5%	13.3%	14.1%	472
Level 2 qualifications	11,917	13.9%	15.7%	15.2%	517
Apprenticeship ¹	2,630	3.1%	3.9%	...	452
Level 3 qualifications	8,930	10.4%	12.3%	12.1%	548
Level 4 qualifications and above	25,223	29.4%	24.5%	27.0%	204
Other qualifications ¹	4,401	5.1%	4.3%

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1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	78,528	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	54,959	70.0%	65.8%	69.5%	294
Employee: Part-time	10,684	13.6%	13.9%	13.7%	424
Employee: Full-time	31,804	40.5%	35.6%	38.5%	205
Self-employed	5,758	7.3%	8.6%	9.5%	475
Unemployed	4,064	5.2%	4.3%	4.4%	172
Full-time student	2,649	3.4%	3.3%	3.5%	187
Economically inactive	23,569	30.0%	34.2%	30.5%	357
Retired	8,542	10.9%	16.1%	13.9%	532
Student (including full-time students)	4,032	5.1%	6.0%	5.8%	216
Looking after home or family	3,777	4.8%	3.8%	4.3%	134
Long-term sick or disabled	5,074	6.5%	6.3%	4.3%	89
Other	2,144	2.7%	2.0%	2.2%	126
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In employment	48,246	61.4%	58.2%	61.6%	363
Unemployed	4,064	5.2%	4.3%	4.4%	172
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,207	1.5%	1.4%	1.2%	162
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	677	0.9%	0.7%	0.8%	219
Unemployed: Never worked	722	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	155
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,624	2.1%	1.7%	1.7%	178

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	50,235	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	58	0.1%	1.7%	1.0%	515
Mining and quarrying	41	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	419
Manufacturing	3,024	6.0%	10.5%	8.9%	504
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	819	1.6%	0.8%	0.6%	17
Water supply ¹	467	0.9%	0.9%	0.7%	126
Construction	3,231	6.4%	8.2%	7.7%	525
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,777	15.5%	15.6%	15.9%	395
Transport and storage	2,198	4.4%	3.9%	4.9%	376
Accommodation and food service activities	3,319	6.6%	6.2%	5.6%	149
Information and communication	1,938	3.9%	2.3%	3.8%	205
Financial and insurance activities	2,862	5.7%	3.1%	4.3%	119
Real estate activities	678	1.3%	1.2%	1.4%	321
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,077	6.1%	4.3%	6.4%	249
Administrative and support service activities	2,444	4.9%	4.0%	4.8%	244
Public administration and defence ³	3,541	7.0%	7.9%	6.1%	170
Education	5,239	10.4%	10.1%	9.8%	189
Human health and social work activities	6,796	13.5%	14.5%	12.8%	262
Other	2,726	5.4%	4.5%	5.0%	121

1. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities".

2. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles".

3. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Public administration and defence; compulsory social security"

Table KS608: Occupation

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	50,235	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,704	9.4%	9.2%	10.5%	401
Professional occupations	9,864	19.6%	15.8%	17.3%	155
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,865	13.7%	10.8%	12.6%	159
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,720	11.4%	11.1%	11.5%	315
Skilled trades occupations	4,619	9.2%	13.4%	11.6%	543
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,639	9.2%	10.5%	9.4%	384
Sales and customer service occupations	5,437	10.8%	9.0%	8.6%	72
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,790	5.6%	8.1%	7.3%	495
Elementary occupations	5,597	11.1%	11.9%	11.2%	341

Table KS611: Socio-economic classification (NS-SeC)

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	78,528	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	8,226	10.5%	7.8%	10.0%	241
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,386	1.8%	1.8%	2.3%	440
Higher professional occupations	6,840	8.7%	6.0%	7.8%	194
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	16,731	21.3%	19.6%	20.7%	289
Intermediate	10,104	12.9%	12.0%	12.8%	328
Small employers and own account workers	5,415	6.9%	9.4%	9.2%	532
Lower supervisory and technical	5,323	6.8%	8.1%	7.1%	416
Semi-routine occupations	11,475	14.6%	16.0%	14.2%	329
Routine	8,416	10.7%	12.8%	11.3%	360
Never worked and long-term unemployed	6,328	8.1%	5.4%	5.6%	108
Never worked	4,704	6.0%	3.7%	3.8%	93
Long-term unemployed	1,624	2.1%	1.7%	1.7%	178
Not classified	6,510	8.3%	9.1%	9.0%	210
Full-time students	6,510	8.3%	9.1%	9.0%	210

1. The full name for this category in NS-SeC is " Large employers and higher managerial and administrative occupations".

Table QS701: Means of travel to work

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	50,235	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,742	3.5%	5.4%	5.9%	512
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	1,982	3.9%	2.1%	8.5%	277
Bus or coach	4,965	9.9%	4.6%	7.5%	174
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	32,559	64.8%	75.2%	64.0%	448
Bicycle	1,498	3.0%	1.4%	2.7%	173
On Foot	7,158	14.2%	10.6%	10.6%	99
Other	331	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	256

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		Wales	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	480 ¹		100%	92%	400
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	2,241	4.1%	3.3%	2.7%	123
Change over 1 year		-22.4%	-25.5%	-30.0%	68
Change over 4 years		-34.5%	-32.6%	-41.0%	130

1. Earnings data are estimated from a survey with a "confidence" range and rounded to the nearest £10; % are calculated from rounded figures.

2. Unemployment rates are calculated as claimants as a percentage of the estimated economically active population aged 16-64.

Source: ONS *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings*; NI *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings and Hours*. Residence-based data

Further background and data for parliamentary constituencies, see House of Commons Library Research Papers:

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Unemployment by Constituency (monthly)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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