

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Rutherglen and Hamilton West

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	49,212	47.8%	48.5%	49.1%	625
Females	53,756	52.2%	51.5%	50.9%	26
People living in households	102,178	1.0%	98.1%	98.2%	583
People living in communal establishments	790	0.8%	1.9%	1.8%	519
Students living away from home ¹	287	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	18.6	-	-	-	236

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	18,767	18.2%	17.3%	18.8%	362
16 to 24	10,728	10.4%	11.6%	11.9%	398
25 to 44	29,266	28.4%	26.5%	27.3%	169
45 to 64	28,596	27.8%	27.5%	25.6%	210
65 and older	15,611	15.2%	16.8%	16.4%	440

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All households	46,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	16,062	34.7%	34.7%	30.6%	87
Aged 65 and older	5,608	12.1%	13.1%	12.5%	403
Aged under 65	10,454	22.6%	21.6%	18.1%	88
One family	28,294	61.1%	59.8%	61.7%	449
Lone parent with dependent children	4,220	9.1%	7.2%	7.2%	101
Other	1,970	4.3%	5.5%	7.7%	590

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All households	46,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	16,964	36.6%	36.5%	33.9%	218
With dependent children	2,081	4.5%	3.9%	4.2%	252
Without dependent children	14,883	32.1%	32.5%	29.7%	215

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	99,929	97.0%	96.0%	87.2%	224
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	97,026	94.2%	91.8%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	1,463	1.4%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	67	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,373	1.3%	3.1%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	258	0.3%	0.4%	2.0%	624
White and Black Caribbean	...	...	...	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	...	...	...	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	...	...	...	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	...	...	...	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	2,278	2.2%	2.7%	6.9%	350
Indian	564	0.5%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	1,071	1.0%	0.9%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	32	0.0%	0.1%	0.7%	
Chinese	401	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	210	0.2%	0.4%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	394	0.4%	0.7%	3.0%	416
African	...	...	...	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	...	...	...	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	...	...	...	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	109	0.1%	0.3%	0.9%	566
Arab	62	0.1%	0.2%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	47	0.0%	0.1%	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 British².

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	99,043	96.2%	93.0%	87.3%	99
England	3,455	3.4%	8.7%	71.9%	637
Scotland	95,100	92.4%	83.3%	8.2%	6
Wales	125	0.1%	0.3%	4.4%	640
Northern Ireland	363	0.4%	0.7%	2.9%	358
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	563
Ireland	386	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	455
Other European Union	1,213	1.2%	2.6%	3.5%	566
Member states in March 2001	504	0.5%	1.1%	1.6%	598
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	709	0.7%	1.4%	1.9%	506
Other countries	2,326	2.3%	4.0%	8.4%	498

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	Scotland	England and Wales	
All usual residents
All passports ³
No passport
United Kingdom
Republic of Ireland
Other Europe: EU countries
Other Europe: Non EU countries
Africa
Middle East and Asia
North America and the Caribbean
Central America
South America
Antarctica and Oceania

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	%	Scotland	England and Wales	
All households	...	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)
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	3.7%	...
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)	0.8%	...
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	4.3%	...

... 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	%	Scotland	England and Wales	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	65,325	63.4%	53.8%	...	9
Buddhist	106	0.1%	0.2%	...	54
Hindu	171	0.2%	0.3%	...	26
Jewish	38	0.0%	0.1%	...	38
Muslim	1,240	1.2%	1.4%	...	19
Sikh	140	0.1%	0.2%	...	19
Other religion	162	0.2%	0.3%	...	55
No religion	29,165	28.3%	36.7%	...	48
Religion not stated	6,621	6.4%	7.0%	...	47

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	102,968	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	52,027	50.5%	52.5%	47.6%	140
Good health	29,328	28.5%	29.7%	33.6%	634
Fair health	13,757	13.4%	12.2%	13.2%	322
Bad health	5,973	5.8%	4.3%	4.3%	89
Very bad health	1,883	1.8%	1.3%	1.3%	63

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All households	46,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	30,247	65.0%	61.6%	63.5%	375
Owned outright	10,811	23.3%	27.8%	30.6%	544
Owned with a mortgage or loan	19,309	41.7%	33.7%	32.9%	19
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	127	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	585
Social rented¹	12,348	26.7%	24.3%	18.2%	89
Rented from council (Local Authority)	9,363	20.2%	13.2%		56
Other social rented	2,985	6.4%	11.1%	8.3%	361
Private rented	3,429	7.4%	12.4%	16.3%	641
Private landlord or letting agency	3,043	6.6%	11.1%	14.8%	641
Other private rented	386	0.8%	1.3%	1.4%	628
Living rent free	302	0.7%	1.3%	1.4%	648

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All households	46,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	15,896	34.3%	30.5%	26.0%	120
1 car or van in household	18,983	41.0%	42.2%	42.2%	493
2 cars or vans in household	9,434	20.4%	21.6%	24.5%	482
3 cars or vans in household	1,582	3.4%	4.3%	5.4%	530
4 or more cars or vans in household	431	0.9%	1.3%	1.9%	531

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	84,201	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	26,474	31.4%	26.8%	23.2%	67
Level 1 qualifications	20,854	24.8%	23.1%	14.1%	18
Level 2 qualifications	11,543	13.7%	14.3%	15.2%	530
Apprenticeship ¹	...	...	...	...	...
Level 3 qualifications	8,783	10.4%	9.7%	12.1%	544
Level 4 qualifications and above	16,547	19.7%	26.1%	27.0%	530
Other qualifications ¹	...	...	...	...	...

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	77,349	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	54,018	69.8%	69.0%	69.5%	309
Employee: Part-time	9,985	12.9%	13.3%	13.7%	516
Employee: Full-time	32,666	42.2%	39.6%	38.5%	106
Self-employed	4,772	6.2%	7.5%	9.5%	573
Unemployed	4,378	5.7%	4.8%	4.4%	121
Full-time student	2,217	2.9%	3.7%	3.5%	303
Economically inactive	23,331	30.2%	31.0%	30.5%	342
Retired	11,068	14.3%	14.9%	13.9%	352
Student (including full-time students)	2,867	3.7%	5.5%	5.8%	446
Looking after home or family	2,527	3.3%	3.6%	4.3%	557
Long-term sick or disabled	5,281	6.8%	5.1%	4.3%	64
Other	1,588	2.1%	1.9%	2.2%	264
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In employment	47,423	61.3%	60.5%	61.6%	366
Unemployed	4,378	5.7%	4.8%	4.4%	121
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,291	1.7%	1.4%	1.2%	110
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	840	1.1%	0.9%	0.8%	51
Unemployed: Never worked	669	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	175
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,785	2.3%	1.8%	1.7%	119

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	49,164	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	152	0.3%	2.0%	1.0%	343
Mining and quarrying	122	0.2%	1.4%	0.3%	179
Manufacturing	4,422	9.0%	7.7%	8.9%	321
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	601	1.2%	0.8%	0.6%	48
Water supply ¹	437	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	151
Construction	4,427	9.0%	8.0%	7.7%	149
Wholesale and retail trade ²	8,122	16.5%	15.0%	15.9%	262
Transport and storage	2,820	5.7%	5.0%	4.9%	159
Accommodation and food service activities	2,119	4.3%	6.3%	5.6%	532
Information and communication	1,384	2.8%	2.7%	3.8%	349
Financial and insurance activities	2,855	5.8%	4.5%	4.3%	112
Real estate activities	649	1.3%	1.2%	1.4%	345
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,017	4.1%	5.2%	6.4%	507
Administrative and support service activities	2,306	4.7%	4.3%	4.8%	309
Public administration and defence ³	3,906	7.9%	7.0%	6.1%	104
Education	3,693	7.5%	8.4%	9.8%	604
Human health and social work activities	6,803	13.8%	15.0%	12.8%	228
Other	2,329	4.7%	4.9%	5.0%	298

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	49,164	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,790	7.7%	8.4%	10.5%	561
Professional occupations	7,018	14.3%	16.8%	17.3%	433
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,352	12.9%	12.6%	12.6%	212
Administrative and secretarial occupations	6,677	13.6%	11.4%	11.5%	70
Skilled trades occupations	5,715	11.6%	12.5%	11.6%	359
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,771	9.7%	9.7%	9.4%	297
Sales and customer service occupations	5,343	10.9%	9.3%	8.6%	68
Process, plant and machine operatives	4,439	9.0%	7.7%	7.3%	170
Elementary occupations	5,059	10.3%	11.6%	11.2%	420

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	77,349	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,603	7.2%	8.7%	10.0%	467
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,123	1.5%	1.6%	2.3%	536
Higher professional occupations	4,480	5.8%	7.0%	7.8%	431
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	15,131	19.6%	20.2%	20.7%	390
Intermediate	11,492	14.9%	12.9%	12.8%	101
Small employers and own account workers	5,054	6.5%	7.4%	9.2%	562
Lower supervisory and technical	6,575	8.5%	8.2%	7.1%	121
Semi-routine occupations	12,978	16.8%	15.5%	14.2%	165
Routine	10,959	14.2%	12.9%	11.3%	164
Never worked and long-term unemployed	4,584	5.9%	5.0%	5.6%	219
Never worked	2,780	3.6%	3.1%	3.8%	248
Long-term unemployed	1,804	2.3%	1.9%	1.7%	117
Not classified	4,973	6.4%	9.1%	9.0%	392
Full-time students	4,973	6.4%	9.1%	9.0%	392

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	%	Scotland	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	47,423	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	4,185	8.8%	10.8%	5.9%	111
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	4,168	8.8%	4.0%	8.5%	131
Bus or coach	4,889	10.3%	10.0%	7.5%	159
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	30,845	65.0%	62.7%	64.0%	444
Bicycle	256	0.5%	1.4%	2.7%	629
On Foot	2,801	5.9%	9.9%	10.6%	627
Other	279	0.6%	1.2%	0.7%	353

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		Scotland	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	480 ¹		92%	92%	400
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	1,988	3.7%	3.0%	2.7%	150
Change over 1 year		-27.6%	-26.0%	-30.0%	194
Change over 4 years		-44.5%	-41.1%	-41.0%	341

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:

14/10 Census 2011 Constituency Results:UK

Unemployment by Constituency (monthly)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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