Census data for Parliamentary constituencies in England & Wales, 2011

Bridgwater and West Somerset

Table KS101: Usual resident population

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
Males	51,894	48.7%	49.0%	49.2%	406	
Females	54,556	51.3%	51.0%	50.8%	168	
People living in households	104,301	98.0%	97.8%	98.2%	423	
People living in communal establishments	2,149	2.0%	2.2%	1.8%	151	
Students living away from home ¹	1,258	-	-	-	-	
Population density (people per hectare)	1.0	-	-	-	539	

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

Table KS102: Age structure

	Constituen	Constituency		ation (%)		
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
0 to 15	18,254	17.1%	17.5%	18.8%	459	
16 to 24	10,920	10.3%	11.3%	11.9%	367	
25 to 44	23,291	21.9%	24.6%	27.3%	522	
45 to 64	30,572	28.7%	26.9%	25.4%	98	
65 and older	23,413	22.0%	19.6%	16.6%	57	

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
	Count_	<u>%</u>	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All households	45,979	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
One person	13,644	29.7%	30.3%	30.2%	280	
Aged 65 and older	6,986	15.2%	13.8%	12.4%	54	
Aged under 65	6,658	14.5%	16.5%	17.8%	433	
One family	29,664	64.5%	62.9%	61.8%	259	
Lone parent with dependent children	2,536	5.5%	5.9%	7.2%	437	
Other	2,671	5.8%	6.8%	7.9%	307	

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All households	45,979	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	17,190	37.4%	34.4%	33.6%	144
With dependent children	1,473	3.2%	3.0%	4.2%	352
Without dependent children	15,717	34.2%	31.4%	29.4%	81

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency Region and Nation		ation (%)		
	Count	%_	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
White	104,910	98.6%	95.4%	86.0%	23
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	101,360	95.2%	91.8%	80.5%	121
Irish	397	0.4%	0.5%	0.9%	470
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	104	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	216
Other White	3,049	2.9%	3.0%	4.4%	271
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	743	0.7%	1.4%	2.2%	510
White and Black Caribbean	258	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	470
White and Black African	98	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	463
White and Asian	232	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	513
Other Mixed	155	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	522
Asian/Asian British	605	0.6%	2.0%	7.5%	554
Indian	121	0.1%	0.6%	2.5%	561
Pakistani	20	0.0%	0.2%	2.0%	557
Bangladeshi	103	0.1%	0.2%	0.8%	387
Chinese	105	0.1%	0.4%	0.7%	572
Other Asian	256	0.2%	0.5%	1.5%	491
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British	89	0.1%	0.9%	3.3%	566
African	54	0.1%	0.5%	1.8%	551
Caribbean	27	0.0%	0.3%	1.1%	559
Other Black	8	0.0%	0.2%	0.5%	568
Other ethnic group	103	0.1%	0.3%	1.0%	534
Arab	27	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%	522
Any other ethnic group	76	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	514

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	100,908	94.8%	92.3%	86.6%	170
England	97,470	91.6%	88.6%	80.0%	153
Scotland	1,104	1.0%	1.4%	1.3%	392
Wales	2,022	1.9%	2.0%	4.9%	70
Northern Ireland	306	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	410
United Kingdom (not specified)	6	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	391
Ireland	383	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	422
Other European Union	3,043	2.9%	2.9%	3.6%	252
Member states in March 2001	995	0.9%	1.4%	1.6%	343
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	2,048	1.9%	1.4%	2.0%	196
Other countries	2,116	2.0%	4.3%	9.0%	486

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency Regio		Region and N	lation (%)	
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
All passports ¹	80,408	-	-	-	-
No passport	26,458	24.9%	19.4%	16.9%	61
United Kingdom	76,670	72.0%	76.4%	75.7%	448
Republic of Ireland	296	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	456
Other Europe: EU countries	2,468	2.3%	2.2%	3.5%	254
Other Europe: Non EU countries	102	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	360
Africa	109	0.1%	0.4%	0.9%	539
Middle East and Asia	306	0.3%	0.9%	2.0%	511
North America and the Caribbean	215	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	402
Central America	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	513
South America	39	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	305
Antarctica and Oceania	200	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	295

^{1.} Total number of passports held by people living in the constituency. One person may hold more than one passport.

Table KS206: Household language

<u>-</u>	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
<u>-</u>	Count	%_	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All households	45,979	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)	44,768	97.4%	95.9%	91.2%	174	
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	480	1.0%	1.8%	3.7%	458	
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)	64	0.1%	0.3%	0.8%	438	
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	667	1.5%	2.0%	4.3%	354	

Table KS209: Religion

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		
	Count	<u>%</u>	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	68,663	64.5%	60.4%	59.3%	183
Buddhist	259	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	381
Hindu	57	0.1%	0.3%	1.5%	563
Jewish	35	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	504
Muslim	222	0.2%	1.0%	4.8%	542
Sikh	35	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	507
Other religion	557	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	108
No religion	28,367	26.6%	29.3%	25.1%	230
Religion not stated	8,255	7.8%	7.9%	7.2%	108

Table KS301: Health

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
	Count	<u>%</u>	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All usual residents	106,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
Very good health	46,112	43.3%	46.9%	47.1%	479	
Good health	38,233	35.9%	34.6%	34.1%	56	
Fair health	16,045	15.1%	13.4%	13.2%	118	
Bad health	4,796	4.5%	4.0%	4.3%	241	
Very bad health	1,264	1.2%	1.1%	1.3%	317	

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
	Count	<u>%</u>	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All households	45,979	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
Owned	31,332	68.1%	67.4%	63.6%	256	
Owned outright	17,585	38.2%	35.4%	30.8%	115	
Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,747	29.9%	32.0%	32.7%	432	
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	229	0.5%	0.8%	0.8%	390	
Social rented	6,536	14.2%	13.3%	17.6%	331	
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,875	6.3%	5.8%	9.4%	347	
Other social rented	3,661	8.0%	7.5%	8.2%	254	
Private rented	7,117	15.5%	17.1%	16.7%	235	
Private landlord or letting agency	6,321	13.7%	15.2%	15.3%	241	
Other private rented	796	1.7%	1.9%	1.4%	105	
Living rent free	765	1.7%	1.4%	1.4%	103	

Table KS404: Cars or vans

	Constituency		Region and N	lation (%)		
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All households	45,979	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
No cars or vans in household	8,052	17.5%	18.9%	25.6%	398	
1 car or van in household	19,922	43.3%	43.5%	42.2%	231	
2 cars or vans in household	13,166	28.6%	28.3%	24.7%	213	
3 cars or vans in household	3,428	7.5%	6.7%	5.5%	134	
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,411	3.1%	2.6%	1.9%	100	

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents aged 16 and older	88,196	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	22,396	25.4%	20.7%	22.7%	189
Level 1 qualifications	12,992	14.7%	13.6%	13.3%	162
Level 2 qualifications	15,087	17.1%	16.4%	15.3%	95
Apprenticeship	3,974	4.5%	4.3%	3.6%	134
Level 3 qualifications	10,246	11.6%	13.2%	12.3%	350
Level 4 qualifications and above	19,113	21.7%	27.4%	27.2%	406
Other qualifications	4,388	5.0%	4.5%	5.7%	234

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituen	enstituency Region and Nation		lation (%)	
usual residents aged 16 to 74	Count	<u>%</u> 100.0%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
Employee: Part-time	11,884	15.4%	15.1%	13.7%	76
Employee: Full-time	27,125	35.2%	37.4%	38.5%	447
Self-employed	9,585	12.4%	11.2%	9.7%	99
Unemployed	2,736	3.5%	3.3%	4.4%	369
Full-time student	1,852	2.4%	3.2%	3.4%	459
Economically inactive	23,909	31.0%	29.7%	30.3%	243
Retired	13,932	18.1%	15.8%	13.8%	91
Student (including full-time students)	2,510	3.3%	4.9%	5.8%	509
Looking after home or family	3,097	4.0%	3.7%	4.3%	306
Long-term sick or disabled	3,109	4.0%	3.6%	4.2%	269
Other	1,261	1.6%	1.7%	2.2%	399
In employment	48,594	63.0%	63.8%	61.9%	259
Unemployed	2,736	3.5%	3.3%	4.4%	369
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	838	1.1%	0.9%	1.2%	323
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	607	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	278
Unemployed: Never worked	354	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	349
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,011	1.3%	1.2%	1.7%	389

Table KS605: Industry

<u>-</u>	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)			
_	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in						
employment in the week before the Census	50,071	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1,554	3.1%	1.6%	0.9%	41	
Mining and quarrying	49	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	299	
Manufacturing	5,184	10.4%	9.1%	8.9%	221	
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	881	1.8%	0.6%	0.6%	9	
Water supply ¹	609	1.2%	0.8%	0.7%	26	
Construction	4,376	8.7%	8.0%	7.7%	157	
Wholesale and retail trade ²	9,348	18.7%	16.2%	15.9%	69	
Transport and storage	2,030	4.1%	4.0%	5.0%	393	
Accommodation and food service activities	4,047	8.1%	6.3%	5.6%	54	
Information and communication	815	1.6%	3.3%	4.0%	542	
Financial and insurance activities	809	1.6%	3.7%	4.3%	530	
Real estate activities	547	1.1%	1.4%	1.4%	478	
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,163	4.3%	5.9%	6.6%	435	
Administrative and support service activities	2,249	4.5%	4.4%	4.9%	344	
Public administration and defence ³	2,519	5.0%	7.1%	6.0%	389	
Education	4,602	9.2%	9.7%	9.9%	348	
Human health and social work activities	5,957	11.9%	12.9%	12.5%	365	
Other	2,332	4.7%	4.8%	5.0%	290	

^{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 (%)			
_	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in						
employment in the week before the Census	50,071	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,341	10.7%	11.1%	10.8%	265	
Professional occupations	5,902	11.8%	16.5%	17.4%	513	
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,604	9.2%	12.1%	12.7%	538	
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,970	9.9%	11.0%	11.4%	477	
Skilled trades occupations	7,894	15.8%	13.4%	11.5%	35	
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	5,577	11.1%	9.8%	9.4%	77	
Sales and customer service occupations	4,108	8.2%	8.4%	8.4%	324	
Process, plant and machine operatives	4,586	9.2%	6.7%	7.2%	142	
Elementary occupations	7,089	14.2%	11.0%	11.1%	90	

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

<u> </u>	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		
_	Count	<u>%</u>	South West	England and Wales	Constituency Rank
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	77,091	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,674	7.4%	10.2%	10.3%	419
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,503	1.9%	2.4%	2.4%	361
Higher professional occupations	4,171	5.4%	7.8%	7.9%	424
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	14,673	19.0%	21.6%	20.8%	380
Intermediate	8,721	11.3%	12.8%	12.7%	448
Small employers and own account workers	10,386	13.5%	11.3%	9.4%	36
Lower supervisory and technical	6,187	8.0%	7.3%	6.9%	148
Semi-routine occupations	13,752	17.8%	14.8%	14.1%	66
Routine	10,600	13.7%	10.6%	11.1%	146
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,856	3.7%	3.4%	5.6%	378
Never worked	1,845	2.4%	2.2%	3.9%	372
Long-term unemployed	1,011	1.3%	1.2%	1.7%	389
Not classified	4,242	5.5%	7.9%	9.0%	515
Full-time students	4,242	5.5%	7.9%	9.0%	515

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