

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Caerphilly

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	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	42,570	48.9%	49.1%	49.1%	356
Females	44,410	51.1%	50.9%	50.9%	295
People living in households	86,586	99.5%	98.3%	98.2%	20
People living in communal establishments	394	0.5%	1.7%	1.8%	630
Students living away from home ¹	770	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	7.6	-	-	-	345

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	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	17,530	20.2%	18.1%	18.8%	131
16 to 24	9,522	10.9%	12.2%	11.9%	315
25 to 44	23,233	26.7%	24.7%	27.3%	292
45 to 64	22,935	26.4%	26.6%	25.6%	356
65 and older	13,760	15.8%	18.3%	16.4%	392

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	35,941	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	9,462	26.3%	30.8%	30.6%	565
Aged 65 and older	4,136	11.5%	13.7%	12.5%	461
Aged under 65	5,326	14.8%	17.1%	18.1%	482
One family	24,607	68.5%	62.8%	61.7%	67
Lone parent with dependent children	3,236	9.0%	7.5%	7.2%	111
Other	1,872	5.2%	6.5%	7.7%	437

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	35,941	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	13,509	37.6%	38.1%	33.9%	158
With dependent children	2,275	6.3%	4.6%	4.2%	90
Without dependent children	11,234	31.3%	33.4%	29.7%	268

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	85,329	98.1%	95.6%	87.2%	104
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	84,189	96.8%	93.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	261	0.3%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	20	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	859	1.0%	1.8%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	631	0.7%	1.0%	2.0%	504
White and Black Caribbean	243	0.3%	0.4%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	86	0.1%	0.1%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	169	0.2%	0.3%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	133	0.2%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	785	0.9%	2.3%	6.9%	541
Indian	219	0.3%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	71	0.1%	0.4%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	12	0.0%	0.3%	0.7%	
Chinese	276	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	207	0.2%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	137	0.2%	0.6%	3.0%	580
African	82	0.1%	0.4%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	52	0.1%	0.1%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	3	0.0%	0.1%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	98	0.1%	0.5%	0.9%	548
Arab	33	0.0%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	65	0.1%	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	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	84,593	97.3%	94.5%	87.3%	38
England	8,126	9.3%	20.8%	71.9%	590
Scotland	503	0.6%	0.8%	8.2%	608
Wales	75,791	87.1%	72.7%	4.4%	8
Northern Ireland	163	0.2%	0.3%	2.9%	620
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	10	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	213
Ireland	223	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	576
Other European Union	937	1.1%	1.8%	3.5%	589
Member states in March 2001	537	0.6%	0.9%	1.6%	538
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	400	0.5%	0.9%	1.9%	596
Other countries	1,227	1.4%	3.3%	8.4%	614

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	Wales	England and Wales	
All usual residents	86,980	...	3,063,456
All passports ³	67,709
No passport	19,516	22.4%	22.4%	16.9%	123
United Kingdom	66,389	76.3%	74.5%	75.2%	286
Republic of Ireland	183	0.2%	0.3%	1.4%	530
Other Europe: EU countries	582	0.7%	1.4%	3.4%	541
Other Europe: Non EU countries	23	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	588
Africa	83	0.1%	0.3%	0.9%	559
Middle East and Asia	233	0.3%	1.0%	2.0%	535
North America and the Caribbean	114	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	506
Central America	3	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	443
South America	12	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	518
Antarctica and Oceania	85	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	455

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	35,941	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)	35,435	98.6%	96.7%	91.2%	30
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	252	0.7%	1.4%	3.7%	569
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)	28	0.1%	0.2%	0.8%	557
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	226	0.6%	1.7%	4.3%	521

... 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	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	44,547	51.2%	57.6%	59.3%	489
Buddhist	137	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	540
Hindu	121	0.1%	0.3%	1.5%	472
Jewish	42	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	436
Muslim	216	0.2%	1.5%	4.8%	521
Sikh	69	0.1%	0.1%	0.8%	385
Other religion	313	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	321
No religion	35,047	40.3%	32.1%	25.1%	8
Religion not stated	6,488	7.5%	7.6%	7.2%	172

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	86,980	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	39,814	45.8%	46.6%	47.6%	420
Good health	26,059	30.0%	31.1%	33.6%	597
Fair health	13,274	15.3%	14.6%	13.2%	107
Bad health	5,990	6.9%	5.8%	4.3%	25
Very bad health	1,843	2.1%	1.8%	1.3%	22

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All households	35,941	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	25,271	70.3%	67.4%	63.5%	204
Owned outright	11,299	31.4%	35.4%	30.6%	339
Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,972	38.9%	32.0%	32.9%	79
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	116	0.3%	0.3%	0.7%	550
Social rented¹	6,259	17.4%	16.5%	18.2%	283
Rented from council (Local Authority)	4,548	12.7%	9.8%		196
Other social rented	1,711	4.8%	6.6%	8.3%	480
Private rented	3,994	11.1%	14.1%	16.3%	518
Private landlord or letting agency	3,597	10.0%	12.7%	14.8%	505
Other private rented	397	1.1%	1.5%	1.4%	480
Living rent free	301	0.8%	1.6%	1.4%	607

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	35,941	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	8,604	23.9%	22.9%	26.0%	293
1 car or van in household	15,504	43.1%	43.0%	42.2%	276
2 cars or vans in household	9,202	25.6%	25.8%	24.5%	324
3 cars or vans in household	2,019	5.6%	6.1%	5.4%	312
4 or more cars or vans in household	612	1.7%	2.2%	1.9%	352

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	69,450	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	20,357	29.3%	25.9%	23.2%	114
Level 1 qualifications	10,003	14.4%	13.3%	14.1%	266
Level 2 qualifications	11,501	16.6%	15.7%	15.2%	191
Apprenticeship ¹	2,769	4.0%	3.9%	...	256
Level 3 qualifications	8,006	11.5%	12.3%	12.1%	381
Level 4 qualifications and above	14,283	20.6%	24.5%	27.0%	489
Other qualifications ¹	2,531	3.6%	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	63,598	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	41,588	65.4%	65.8%	69.5%	557
Employee: Part-time	8,551	13.4%	13.9%	13.7%	458
Employee: Full-time	24,394	38.4%	35.6%	38.5%	343
Self-employed	4,042	6.4%	8.6%	9.5%	555
Unemployed	3,209	5.0%	4.3%	4.4%	188
Full-time student	1,392	2.2%	3.3%	3.5%	607
Economically inactive	22,010	34.6%	34.2%	30.5%	94
Retired	9,944	15.6%	16.1%	13.9%	243
Student (including full-time students)	2,900	4.6%	6.0%	5.8%	277
Looking after home or family	2,769	4.4%	3.8%	4.3%	234
Long-term sick or disabled	5,113	8.0%	6.3%	4.3%	26
Other	1,284	2.0%	2.0%	2.2%	276
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In employment	36,987	58.2%	58.2%	61.6%	505
Unemployed	3,209	5.0%	4.3%	4.4%	188
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,123	1.8%	1.4%	1.2%	81
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	527	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	253
Unemployed: Never worked	602	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	141
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,399	2.2%	1.7%	1.7%	147

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	38,045	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	97	0.3%	1.7%	1.0%	382
Mining and quarrying	70	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	232
Manufacturing	5,044	13.3%	10.5%	8.9%	92
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	351	0.9%	0.8%	0.6%	100
Water supply ¹	492	1.3%	0.9%	0.7%	21
Construction	3,242	8.5%	8.2%	7.7%	219
Wholesale and retail trade ²	5,725	15.0%	15.6%	15.9%	448
Transport and storage	1,436	3.8%	3.9%	4.9%	504
Accommodation and food service activities	1,745	4.6%	6.2%	5.6%	472
Information and communication	800	2.1%	2.3%	3.8%	513
Financial and insurance activities	1,583	4.2%	3.1%	4.3%	251
Real estate activities	377	1.0%	1.2%	1.4%	574
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,672	4.4%	4.3%	6.4%	454
Administrative and support service activities	1,849	4.9%	4.0%	4.8%	246
Public administration and defence ³	3,610	9.5%	7.9%	6.1%	45
Education	3,761	9.9%	10.1%	9.8%	270
Human health and social work activities	4,726	12.4%	14.5%	12.8%	389
Other	1,465	3.9%	4.5%	5.0%	615

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	38,045	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,197	8.4%	9.2%	10.5%	484
Professional occupations	5,367	14.1%	15.8%	17.3%	443
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,347	11.4%	10.8%	12.6%	381
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,302	13.9%	11.1%	11.5%	58
Skilled trades occupations	4,638	12.2%	13.4%	11.6%	297
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,773	9.9%	10.5%	9.4%	252
Sales and customer service occupations	3,639	9.6%	9.0%	8.6%	189
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,421	9.0%	8.1%	7.3%	173
Elementary occupations	4,361	11.5%	11.9%	11.2%	310

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	Wales	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	63,598	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	4,431	7.0%	7.8%	10.0%	485
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,093	1.7%	1.8%	2.3%	461
Higher professional occupations	3,338	5.2%	6.0%	7.8%	483
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	11,904	18.7%	19.6%	20.7%	454
Intermediate	9,282	14.6%	12.0%	12.8%	126
Small employers and own account workers	4,624	7.3%	9.4%	9.2%	496
Lower supervisory and technical	5,417	8.5%	8.1%	7.1%	117
Semi-routine occupations	10,175	16.0%	16.0%	14.2%	225
Routine	9,368	14.7%	12.8%	11.3%	130
Never worked and long-term unemployed	4,232	6.7%	5.4%	5.6%	169
Never worked	2,833	4.5%	3.7%	3.8%	173
Long-term unemployed	1,399	2.2%	1.7%	1.7%	148
Not classified	4,165	6.5%	9.1%	9.0%	368
Full-time students	4,165	6.5%	9.1%	9.0%	368

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	38,045	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,228	3.2%	5.4%	5.9%	545
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	2,099	5.5%	2.1%	8.5%	209
Bus or coach	1,445	3.8%	4.6%	7.5%	437
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	29,856	78.5%	75.2%	64.0%	53
Bicycle	262	0.7%	1.4%	2.7%	616
On Foot	2,960	7.8%	10.6%	10.6%	481
Other	195	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%	491

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		Wales	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	470 ¹		98%	90%	446
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	1,809	4.5%	3.3%	2.7%	98
Change over 1 year		-19.3%	-25.5%	-30.0%	38
Change over 4 years		-28.0%	-32.6%	-41.0%	50

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)

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