

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Taunton Deane

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	53,280	48.4%	49.0%	49.1%	548
Females	56,907	51.6%	51.0%	50.9%	103
People living in households	106,852	97.0%	97.8%	98.2%	501
People living in communal establishments	3,335	3.0%	2.2%	1.8%	81
Students living away from home ¹	1,744	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	2.4	-	-	-	496

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	20,078	18.2%	17.5%	18.8%	363
16 to 24	11,868	10.8%	11.3%	11.9%	341
25 to 44	26,291	23.9%	24.6%	27.3%	500
45 to 64	29,938	27.2%	26.9%	25.6%	275
65 and older	22,012	20.0%	19.6%	16.4%	136

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	46,907	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	14,181	30.2%	30.3%	30.6%	298
Aged 65 and older	6,888	14.7%	13.8%	12.5%	86
Aged under 65	7,293	15.5%	16.5%	18.1%	420
One family	29,898	63.7%	62.9%	61.7%	333
Lone parent with dependent children	2,829	6.0%	5.9%	7.2%	432
Other	2,828	6.0%	6.8%	7.7%	313

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	46,907	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	15,793	33.7%	34.4%	33.9%	351
With dependent children	1,268	2.7%	3.0%	4.2%	479
Without dependent children	14,525	31.0%	31.4%	29.7%	284

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	107,116	97.2%	95.4%	87.2%	204
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	103,020	93.5%	91.8%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	499	0.5%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	193	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	3,404	3.1%	3.0%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,010	0.9%	1.4%	2.0%	436
White and Black Caribbean	266	0.2%	0.5%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	183	0.2%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	322	0.3%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	239	0.2%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	1,608	1.5%	2.0%	6.9%	414
Indian	324	0.3%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	59	0.1%	0.2%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	108	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	
Chinese	448	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	669	0.6%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	286	0.3%	0.9%	3.0%	487
African	190	0.2%	0.5%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	62	0.1%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	34	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	167	0.2%	0.3%	0.9%	485
Arab	63	0.1%	0.1%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	104	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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	102,384	92.9%	92.3%	87.3%	307
England	98,509	89.4%	88.6%	71.9%	233
Scotland	1,369	1.2%	1.4%	8.2%	363
Wales	1,983	1.8%	2.0%	4.4%	81
Northern Ireland	519	0.5%	0.4%	2.9%	185
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	4	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	483
Ireland	427	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	446
Other European Union	3,308	3.0%	2.9%	3.5%	256
Member states in March 2001	1,284	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	285
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	2,024	1.8%	1.4%	1.9%	226
Other countries	4,068	3.7%	4.3%	8.4%	356

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	110,187	...	5,288,935
All passports ³	88,164
No passport	22,785	20.7%	19.4%	16.9%	184
United Kingdom	83,162	75.5%	76.4%	75.2%	323
Republic of Ireland	369	0.3%	0.4%	1.4%	409
Other Europe: EU countries	2,528	2.3%	2.2%	3.4%	264
Other Europe: Non EU countries	185	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	228
Africa	291	0.3%	0.4%	0.9%	375
Middle East and Asia	894	0.8%	0.9%	2.0%	316
North America and the Caribbean	349	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	296
Central America	6	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	351
South America	46	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	282
Antarctica and Oceania	328	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	172

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	%	South West	England and Wales	
All households	46,907	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)	45,213	96.4%	95.9%	91.2%	254
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	699	1.5%	1.8%	3.7%	355
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)	131	0.3%	0.3%	0.8%	313
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	864	1.8%	2.0%	4.3%	316

... 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	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	68,419	62.1%	60.4%	59.3%	278
Buddhist	357	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	263
Hindu	179	0.2%	0.3%	1.5%	454
Jewish	69	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	376
Muslim	399	0.4%	1.0%	4.8%	454
Sikh	14	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	550
Other religion	557	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	124
No religion	31,436	28.5%	29.3%	25.1%	154
Religion not stated	8,757	7.9%	7.9%	7.2%	83

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	110,187	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	51,946	47.1%	46.9%	47.6%	334
Good health	38,014	34.5%	34.6%	33.6%	270
Fair health	14,854	13.5%	13.4%	13.2%	309
Bad health	4,225	3.8%	4.0%	4.3%	400
Very bad health	1,148	1.0%	1.1%	1.3%	453

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	46,907	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	31,393	66.9%	67.4%	63.5%	326
Owned outright	16,329	34.8%	35.4%	30.6%	216
Owned with a mortgage or loan	15,064	32.1%	32.0%	32.9%	402
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	251	0.5%	0.8%	0.7%	383
Social rented¹	7,321	15.6%	13.3%	18.2%	333
Rented from council (Local Authority)	5,439	11.6%	5.8%		219
Other social rented	1,882	4.0%	7.5%	8.3%	525
Private rented	7,227	15.4%	17.1%	16.3%	257
Private landlord or letting agency	6,506	13.9%	15.2%	14.8%	255
Other private rented	721	1.5%	1.9%	1.4%	196
Living rent free	715	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	198

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	46,907	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	8,189	17.5%	18.9%	26.0%	467
1 car or van in household	21,084	44.9%	43.5%	42.2%	91
2 cars or vans in household	13,266	28.3%	28.3%	24.5%	244
3 cars or vans in household	3,212	6.8%	6.7%	5.4%	195
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,156	2.5%	2.6%	1.9%	204

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	90,109	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	18,510	20.5%	20.7%	23.2%	435
Level 1 qualifications	11,674	13.0%	13.6%	14.1%	444
Level 2 qualifications	16,101	17.9%	16.4%	15.2%	19
Apprenticeship ¹	3,295	3.7%	4.3%	...	342
Level 3 qualifications	11,068	12.3%	13.2%	12.1%	211
Level 4 qualifications and above	25,348	28.1%	27.4%	27.0%	233
Other qualifications ¹	4,113	4.6%	4.5%

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	78,921	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	56,832	72.0%	70.3%	69.5%	169
Employee: Part-time	12,872	16.3%	15.1%	13.7%	19
Employee: Full-time	30,983	39.3%	37.4%	38.5%	285
Self-employed	8,425	10.7%	11.2%	9.5%	217
Unemployed	2,223	2.8%	3.3%	4.4%	571
Full-time student	2,329	3.0%	3.2%	3.5%	282
Economically inactive	22,089	28.0%	29.7%	30.5%	482
Retired	12,292	15.6%	15.8%	13.9%	252
Student (including full-time students)	3,124	4.0%	4.9%	5.8%	387
Looking after home or family	2,675	3.4%	3.7%	4.3%	526
Long-term sick or disabled	2,838	3.6%	3.6%	4.3%	403
Other	1,160	1.5%	1.7%	2.2%	537
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In employment	52,280	66.2%	63.8%	61.6%	135
Unemployed	2,223	2.8%	3.3%	4.4%	571
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	735	0.9%	0.9%	1.2%	471
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	457	0.6%	0.7%	0.8%	620
Unemployed: Never worked	265	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	518
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	790	1.0%	1.2%	1.7%	584

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	54,244	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	947	1.7%	1.6%	1.0%	122
Mining and quarrying	37	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	471
Manufacturing	4,046	7.5%	9.1%	8.9%	416
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	367	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	194
Water supply ¹	515	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	113
Construction	4,012	7.4%	8.0%	7.7%	419
Wholesale and retail trade ²	9,313	17.2%	16.2%	15.9%	185
Transport and storage	1,770	3.3%	4.0%	4.9%	588
Accommodation and food service activities	2,556	4.7%	6.3%	5.6%	428
Information and communication	1,224	2.3%	3.3%	3.8%	474
Financial and insurance activities	1,233	2.3%	3.7%	4.3%	514
Real estate activities	636	1.2%	1.4%	1.4%	463
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,232	6.0%	5.9%	6.4%	263
Administrative and support service activities	2,264	4.2%	4.4%	4.8%	473
Public administration and defence ³	4,762	8.8%	7.1%	6.1%	63
Education	5,401	10.0%	9.7%	9.8%	256
Human health and social work activities	9,520	17.6%	12.9%	12.8%	20
Other	2,409	4.4%	4.8%	5.0%	424

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	54,244	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,619	10.4%	11.1%	10.5%	300
Professional occupations	9,082	16.7%	16.5%	17.3%	288
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,678	12.3%	12.1%	12.6%	273
Administrative and secretarial occupations	6,146	11.3%	11.0%	11.5%	318
Skilled trades occupations	6,670	12.3%	13.4%	11.6%	284
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	6,269	11.6%	9.8%	9.4%	64
Sales and customer service occupations	4,563	8.4%	8.4%	8.6%	363
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,513	6.5%	6.7%	7.3%	420
Elementary occupations	5,704	10.5%	11.0%	11.2%	397

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	78,921	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	7,718	9.8%	10.2%	10.0%	284
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,874	2.4%	2.4%	2.3%	256
Higher professional occupations	5,844	7.4%	7.8%	7.8%	292
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	18,184	23.0%	21.6%	20.7%	178
Intermediate	10,987	13.9%	12.8%	12.8%	192
Small employers and own account workers	8,365	10.6%	11.3%	9.2%	187
Lower supervisory and technical	5,412	6.9%	7.3%	7.1%	399
Semi-routine occupations	12,410	15.7%	14.8%	14.2%	244
Routine	8,036	10.2%	10.6%	11.3%	406
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,477	3.1%	3.4%	5.6%	523
Never worked	1,687	2.1%	2.2%	3.8%	478
Long-term unemployed	790	1.0%	1.2%	1.7%	584
Not classified	5,332	6.8%	7.9%	9.0%	335
Full-time students	5,332	6.8%	7.9%	9.0%	335

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	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	54,244	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	3,624	6.7%	7.0%	5.9%	226
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	706	1.3%	1.6%	8.5%	518
Bus or coach	1,251	2.3%	4.7%	7.5%	556
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	36,206	66.7%	68.9%	64.0%	398
Bicycle	3,496	6.4%	3.5%	2.7%	34
On Foot	8,610	15.9%	13.6%	10.6%	62
Other	351	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	269

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		South West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	500 ¹		100%	96%	316
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	768	1.4%	1.6%	2.7%	495
Change over 1 year		-35.9%	-36.3%	-30.0%	473
Change over 4 years		-44.3%	-48.1%	-41.0%	336

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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