

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Manchester Central

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	69,066	51.4%	49.1%	49.1%	13
Females	65,260	48.6%	50.9%	50.9%	638
People living in households	120,925	90.0%	98.2%	98.2%	570
People living in communal establishments	13,401	10.0%	1.8%	1.8%	4
Students living away from home ¹	989	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	47.8	-	-	-	67

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	22,476	16.7%	18.6%	18.8%	542
16 to 24	35,314	26.3%	12.1%	11.9%	7
25 to 44	46,215	34.4%	26.4%	27.3%	43
45 to 64	20,099	15.0%	26.0%	25.6%	646
65 and older	10,222	7.6%	16.6%	16.4%	639

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	56,485	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	21,949	38.9%	32.2%	30.6%	25
Aged 65 and older	4,370	7.7%	12.8%	12.5%	632
Aged under 65	17,579	31.1%	19.4%	18.1%	10
One family	24,146	42.7%	61.2%	61.7%	637
Lone parent with dependent children	5,630	10.0%	8.1%	7.2%	54
Other	10,390	18.4%	6.6%	7.7%	26

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	56,485	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	21,311	37.7%	36.4%	33.9%	152
With dependent children	4,563	8.1%	4.7%	4.2%	31
Without dependent children	16,748	29.7%	31.7%	29.7%	365

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	84,116	62.6%	90.2%	87.2%	598
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	73,755	54.9%	87.1%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	2,514	1.9%	0.9%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	129	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	7,718	5.7%	2.1%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	6,748	5.0%	1.6%	2.0%	40
White and Black Caribbean	2,764	2.1%	0.6%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	1,386	1.0%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	1,105	0.8%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	1,493	1.1%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	19,627	14.6%	6.2%	6.9%	77
Indian	3,139	2.3%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	4,244	3.2%	2.7%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	905	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Chinese	7,780	5.8%	0.7%	0.7%	
Other Asian	3,559	2.6%	0.7%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	18,945	14.1%	1.4%	3.0%	30
African	11,381	8.5%	0.8%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	4,090	3.0%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	3,474	2.6%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	4,890	3.6%	0.6%	0.9%	29
Arab	2,966	2.2%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	1,924	1.4%	0.3%	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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	93,626	69.7%	91.8%	87.3%	592
England	89,448	66.6%	89.0%	71.9%	477
Scotland	1,731	1.3%	1.4%	8.2%	326
Wales	1,223	0.9%	0.9%	4.4%	247
Northern Ireland	1,199	0.9%	0.5%	2.9%	35
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	25	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	106
Ireland	1,955	1.5%	0.7%	0.7%	65
Other European Union	7,285	5.4%	2.0%	3.5%	84
Member states in March 2001	3,335	2.5%	0.8%	1.6%	71
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	3,950	2.9%	1.2%	1.9%	105
Other countries	31,460	23.4%	5.5%	8.4%	55

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	134,326	...	7,052,177
All passports ³	116,125
No passport	19,943	14.8%	17.9%	16.9%	404
United Kingdom	87,370	65.0%	77.9%	75.2%	566
Republic of Ireland	1,757	1.3%	0.6%	1.4%	91
Other Europe: EU countries	8,432	6.3%	1.8%	3.4%	69
Other Europe: Non EU countries	629	0.5%	0.1%	0.3%	68
Africa	4,612	3.4%	0.5%	0.9%	25
Middle East and Asia	11,206	8.3%	1.4%	2.0%	16
North America and the Caribbean	1,307	1.0%	0.2%	0.6%	65
Central America	144	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	10
South America	305	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	63
Antarctica and Oceania	319	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	229

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	%	North West	England and Wales	
All households	56,485	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)	44,355	78.5%	94.2%	91.2%	535
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	3,359	5.9%	2.4%	3.7%	100
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)	1,066	1.9%	0.5%	0.8%	65
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	7,705	13.6%	2.9%	4.3%	38

... 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	%	North West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	65,450	48.7%	67.3%	59.3%	512
Buddhist	1,737	1.3%	0.3%	0.4%	16
Hindu	1,740	1.3%	0.5%	1.5%	144
Jewish	359	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	114
Muslim	16,824	12.5%	5.1%	4.8%	63
Sikh	546	0.4%	0.1%	0.8%	159
Other religion	596	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	183
No religion	37,673	28.0%	19.8%	25.1%	172
Religion not stated	9,401	7.0%	6.2%	7.2%	311

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	134,326	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	67,404	50.2%	46.5%	47.6%	162
Good health	42,395	31.6%	32.8%	33.6%	532
Fair health	15,474	11.5%	13.9%	13.2%	521
Bad health	6,810	5.1%	5.3%	4.3%	168
Very bad health	2,243	1.7%	1.5%	1.3%	113

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	56,485	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	15,315	27.1%	64.5%	63.5%	642
Owned outright	6,021	10.7%	31.0%	30.6%	643
Owned with a mortgage or loan	9,294	16.5%	33.5%	32.9%	640
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	368	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	283
Social rented¹	20,282	35.9%	18.3%	18.2%	22
Rented from council (Local Authority)	8,696	15.4%	7.7%		127
Other social rented	11,586	20.5%	10.6%	8.3%	18
Private rented	19,534	34.6%	15.4%	16.3%	10
Private landlord or letting agency	18,548	32.8%	14.1%	14.8%	11
Other private rented	986	1.7%	1.3%	1.4%	119
Living rent free	986	1.7%	1.3%	1.4%	108

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	56,485	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	31,183	55.2%	28.0%	26.0%	19
1 car or van in household	20,488	36.3%	42.5%	42.2%	622
2 cars or vans in household	4,184	7.4%	23.5%	24.5%	633
3 cars or vans in household	493	0.9%	4.6%	5.4%	637
4 or more cars or vans in household	137	0.2%	1.4%	1.9%	637

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	111,850	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	23,968	21.4%	24.8%	23.2%	385
Level 1 qualifications	11,395	10.2%	13.6%	14.1%	600
Level 2 qualifications	12,507	11.2%	15.8%	15.2%	609
Apprenticeship ¹	1,601	1.4%	3.9%	...	548
Level 3 qualifications	20,847	18.6%	12.9%	12.1%	23
Level 4 qualifications and above	33,262	29.7%	24.4%	27.0%	193
Other qualifications ¹	8,270	7.4%	4.5%

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1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	107,297	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	64,952	60.5%	67.8%	69.5%	635
Employee: Part-time	9,673	9.0%	13.9%	13.7%	632
Employee: Full-time	34,028	31.7%	37.5%	38.5%	609
Self-employed	5,039	4.7%	8.2%	9.5%	643
Unemployed	6,034	5.6%	4.7%	4.4%	126
Full-time student	10,178	9.5%	3.5%	3.5%	7
Economically inactive	42,345	39.5%	32.2%	30.5%	16
Retired	6,537	6.1%	14.8%	13.9%	636
Student (including full-time students)	21,598	20.1%	5.6%	5.8%	8
Looking after home or family	4,176	3.9%	3.9%	4.3%	373
Long-term sick or disabled	6,654	6.2%	5.6%	4.3%	102
Other	3,380	3.2%	2.2%	2.2%	77
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In employment	48,740	45.4%	59.6%	61.6%	642
Unemployed	6,034	5.6%	4.7%	4.4%	126
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,563	1.5%	1.4%	1.2%	198
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	727	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	530
Unemployed: Never worked	1,441	1.3%	0.8%	0.7%	55
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	2,273	2.1%	1.8%	1.7%	166

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	55,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	43	0.1%	0.7%	1.0%	576
Mining and quarrying	14	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	629
Manufacturing	2,688	4.8%	10.3%	8.9%	562
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	220	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	419
Water supply ¹	245	0.4%	0.8%	0.7%	573
Construction	2,185	3.9%	7.4%	7.7%	629
Wholesale and retail trade ²	9,307	16.7%	16.7%	15.9%	240
Transport and storage	2,369	4.3%	5.0%	4.9%	398
Accommodation and food service activities	5,838	10.5%	5.9%	5.6%	19
Information and communication	2,466	4.4%	2.9%	3.8%	161
Financial and insurance activities	2,825	5.1%	3.5%	4.3%	166
Real estate activities	864	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	191
Professional, scientific and technical activities	4,938	8.9%	5.6%	6.4%	91
Administrative and support service activities	3,997	7.2%	4.9%	4.8%	21
Public administration and defence ³	2,177	3.9%	6.0%	6.1%	615
Education	5,787	10.4%	9.7%	9.8%	194
Human health and social work activities	6,716	12.1%	13.9%	12.8%	422
Other	3,052	5.5%	4.6%	5.0%	115

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	55,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,073	7.3%	9.9%	10.5%	594
Professional occupations	10,721	19.2%	16.3%	17.3%	169
Associate professional and technical occupations	7,645	13.7%	11.5%	12.6%	151
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,915	10.6%	11.8%	11.5%	438
Skilled trades occupations	3,770	6.8%	11.3%	11.6%	617
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	5,163	9.3%	10.1%	9.4%	374
Sales and customer service occupations	6,702	12.0%	9.4%	8.6%	19
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,960	5.3%	8.1%	7.3%	519
Elementary occupations	8,782	15.8%	11.6%	11.2%	41

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	107,297	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	8,414	7.8%	8.9%	10.0%	413
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	997	0.9%	2.1%	2.3%	633
Higher professional occupations	7,417	6.9%	6.8%	7.8%	334
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	14,743	13.7%	19.4%	20.7%	630
Intermediate	9,992	9.3%	13.1%	12.8%	624
Small employers and own account workers	4,600	4.3%	8.5%	9.2%	648
Lower supervisory and technical	5,110	4.8%	7.4%	7.1%	599
Semi-routine occupations	12,126	11.3%	15.1%	14.2%	541
Routine	10,965	10.2%	12.3%	11.3%	404
Never worked and long-term unemployed	10,127	9.4%	6.2%	5.6%	65
Never worked	7,854	7.3%	4.3%	3.8%	55
Long-term unemployed	2,273	2.1%	1.8%	1.7%	166
Not classified	31,220	29.1%	9.0%	9.0%	6
Full-time students	31,220	29.1%	9.0%	9.0%	6

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	55,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,745	3.1%	4.5%	5.9%	555
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	3,442	6.2%	3.4%	8.5%	187
Bus or coach	12,097	21.7%	8.3%	7.5%	19
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	21,717	39.0%	70.2%	64.0%	604
Bicycle	1,910	3.4%	2.2%	2.7%	137
On Foot	14,475	26.0%	10.9%	10.6%	6
Other	345	0.6%	0.6%	0.7%	308

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		North West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	440 ¹		92%	85%	556
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	2,952	4.5%	3.1%	2.7%	99
Change over 1 year		-35.9%	-30.5%	-30.0%	472
Change over 4 years		-41.0%	-39.8%	-41.0%	250

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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