

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Stroud

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	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	49,203	49.3%	49.0%	49.1%	220
Females	50,613	50.7%	51.0%	50.9%	431
People living in households	98,789	99.0%	97.8%	98.2%	223
People living in communal establishments	1,027	1.0%	2.2%	1.8%	400
Students living away from home ¹	1,687	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	2.6	-	-	-	485

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	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	18,145	18.2%	17.5%	18.8%	373
16 to 24	9,594	9.6%	11.3%	11.9%	527
25 to 44	23,712	23.8%	24.6%	27.3%	505
45 to 64	29,376	29.4%	26.9%	25.6%	66
65 and older	18,989	19.0%	19.6%	16.4%	177

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	42,379	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	11,963	28.2%	30.3%	30.6%	443
Aged 65 and older	5,631	13.3%	13.8%	12.5%	241
Aged under 65	6,332	14.9%	16.5%	18.1%	472
One family	28,141	66.4%	62.9%	61.7%	175
Lone parent with dependent children	2,060	4.9%	5.9%	7.2%	588
Other	2,275	5.4%	6.8%	7.7%	412

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	42,379	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	13,006	30.7%	34.4%	33.9%	486
With dependent children	881	2.1%	3.0%	4.2%	582
Without dependent children	12,125	28.6%	31.4%	29.7%	420

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	97,690	97.9%	95.4%	87.2%	138
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	94,591	94.8%	91.8%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	525	0.5%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	46	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	2,528	2.5%	3.0%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,120	1.1%	1.4%	2.0%	362
White and Black Caribbean	352	0.4%	0.5%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	113	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	385	0.4%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	270	0.3%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	651	0.7%	2.0%	6.9%	602
Indian	155	0.2%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	25	0.0%	0.2%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	51	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	
Chinese	186	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	234	0.2%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	247	0.2%	0.9%	3.0%	495
African	89	0.1%	0.5%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	121	0.1%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	37	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	108	0.1%	0.3%	0.9%	559
Arab	30	0.0%	0.1%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	78	0.1%	0.2%	0.6% ¹	

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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	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	94,382	94.6%	92.3%	87.3%	224
England	90,462	90.6%	88.6%	71.9%	187
Scotland	1,214	1.2%	1.4%	8.2%	376
Wales	2,343	2.3%	2.0%	4.4%	63
Northern Ireland	358	0.4%	0.4%	2.9%	341
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	5	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	425
Ireland	395	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	434
Other European Union	2,210	2.2%	2.9%	3.5%	361
Member states in March 2001	1,330	1.3%	1.4%	1.6%	237
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	880	0.9%	1.4%	1.9%	434
Other countries	2,829	2.8%	4.3%	8.4%	422

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	99,816	...	5,288,935
All passports ³	81,784
No passport	18,856	18.9%	19.4%	16.9%	237
United Kingdom	78,359	78.5%	76.4%	75.2%	200
Republic of Ireland	380	0.4%	0.4%	1.4%	371
Other Europe: EU countries	1,549	1.6%	2.2%	3.4%	361
Other Europe: Non EU countries	130	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	281
Africa	213	0.2%	0.4%	0.9%	412
Middle East and Asia	269	0.3%	0.9%	2.0%	534
North America and the Caribbean	468	0.5%	0.4%	0.6%	188
Central America	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	522
South America	35	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	319
Antarctica and Oceania	378	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	120

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	42,379	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)	41,321	97.5%	95.9%	91.2%	168
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	598	1.4%	1.8%	3.7%	366
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)	42	0.1%	0.3%	0.8%	523
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	418	1.0%	2.0%	4.3%	436

... 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	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	61,623	61.7%	60.4%	59.3%	287
Buddhist	333	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	248
Hindu	106	0.1%	0.3%	1.5%	512
Jewish	90	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	295
Muslim	220	0.2%	1.0%	4.8%	533
Sikh	27	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	523
Other religion	823	0.8%	0.6%	0.4%	22
No religion	28,537	28.6%	29.3%	25.1%	147
Religion not stated	8,057	8.1%	7.9%	7.2%	67

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	99,816	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	47,416	47.5%	46.9%	47.6%	302
Good health	35,323	35.4%	34.6%	33.6%	118
Fair health	12,801	12.8%	13.4%	13.2%	381
Bad health	3,346	3.4%	4.0%	4.3%	516
Very bad health	930	0.9%	1.1%	1.3%	523

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	42,379	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	30,897	72.9%	67.4%	63.5%	125
Owned outright	15,859	37.4%	35.4%	30.6%	147
Owned with a mortgage or loan	15,038	35.5%	32.0%	32.9%	244
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	277	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	281
Social rented¹	5,394	12.7%	13.3%	18.2%	452
Rented from council (Local Authority)	4,231	10.0%	5.8%		270
Other social rented	1,163	2.7%	7.5%	8.3%	602
Private rented	5,256	12.4%	17.1%	16.3%	431
Private landlord or letting agency	4,790	11.3%	15.2%	14.8%	415
Other private rented	466	1.1%	1.9%	1.4%	489
Living rent free	555	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	315

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	42,379	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	5,947	14.0%	18.9%	26.0%	566
1 car or van in household	16,489	38.9%	43.5%	42.2%	577
2 cars or vans in household	14,484	34.2%	28.3%	24.5%	61
3 cars or vans in household	3,894	9.2%	6.7%	5.4%	41
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,565	3.7%	2.6%	1.9%	46

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	81,671	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	14,908	18.3%	20.7%	23.2%	526
Level 1 qualifications	10,824	13.3%	13.6%	14.1%	413
Level 2 qualifications	12,870	15.8%	16.4%	15.2%	355
Apprenticeship ¹	3,871	4.7%	4.3%	...	93
Level 3 qualifications	10,059	12.3%	13.2%	12.1%	207
Level 4 qualifications and above	26,184	32.1%	27.4%	27.0%	137
Other qualifications ¹	2,955	3.6%	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	72,855	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	53,559	73.5%	70.3%	69.5%	97
Employee: Part-time	11,489	15.8%	15.1%	13.7%	50
Employee: Full-time	28,611	39.3%	37.4%	38.5%	282
Self-employed	9,522	13.1%	11.2%	9.5%	72
Unemployed	2,077	2.9%	3.3%	4.4%	564
Full-time student	1,860	2.6%	3.2%	3.5%	455
Economically inactive	19,296	26.5%	29.7%	30.5%	554
Retired	11,149	15.3%	15.8%	13.9%	272
Student (including full-time students)	2,605	3.6%	4.9%	5.8%	484
Looking after home or family	2,548	3.5%	3.7%	4.3%	495
Long-term sick or disabled	2,043	2.8%	3.6%	4.3%	521
Other	951	1.3%	1.7%	2.2%	608
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In employment	49,622	68.1%	63.8%	61.6%	65
Unemployed	2,077	2.9%	3.3%	4.4%	564
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	571	0.8%	0.9%	1.2%	550
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	523	0.7%	0.7%	0.8%	464
Unemployed: Never worked	233	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	538
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	791	1.1%	1.2%	1.7%	542

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	51,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	651	1.3%	1.6%	1.0%	160
Mining and quarrying	124	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	183
Manufacturing	6,493	12.7%	9.1%	8.9%	112
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	793	1.5%	0.6%	0.6%	21
Water supply ¹	551	1.1%	0.8%	0.7%	54
Construction	4,439	8.7%	8.0%	7.7%	194
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,249	14.2%	16.2%	15.9%	541
Transport and storage	1,621	3.2%	4.0%	4.9%	600
Accommodation and food service activities	2,334	4.6%	6.3%	5.6%	476
Information and communication	2,034	4.0%	3.3%	3.8%	193
Financial and insurance activities	1,684	3.3%	3.7%	4.3%	359
Real estate activities	640	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	404
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,695	7.2%	5.9%	6.4%	155
Administrative and support service activities	2,162	4.2%	4.4%	4.8%	455
Public administration and defence ³	2,583	5.0%	7.1%	6.1%	453
Education	5,389	10.5%	9.7%	9.8%	173
Human health and social work activities	6,348	12.4%	12.9%	12.8%	393
Other	2,398	4.7%	4.8%	5.0%	321

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	51,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	6,192	12.1%	11.1%	10.5%	148
Professional occupations	9,504	18.6%	16.5%	17.3%	200
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,277	12.3%	12.1%	12.6%	278
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,379	10.5%	11.0%	11.5%	456
Skilled trades occupations	7,096	13.9%	13.4%	11.6%	125
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,891	9.6%	9.8%	9.4%	330
Sales and customer service occupations	3,227	6.3%	8.4%	8.6%	591
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,895	7.6%	6.7%	7.3%	301
Elementary occupations	4,727	9.2%	11.0%	11.2%	506

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	72,855	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	8,937	12.3%	10.2%	10.0%	159
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	2,124	2.9%	2.4%	2.3%	136
Higher professional occupations	6,813	9.4%	7.8%	7.8%	163
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	17,333	23.8%	21.6%	20.7%	141
Intermediate	8,647	11.9%	12.8%	12.8%	440
Small employers and own account workers	8,415	11.6%	11.3%	9.2%	123
Lower supervisory and technical	5,267	7.2%	7.3%	7.1%	336
Semi-routine occupations	10,621	14.6%	14.8%	14.2%	333
Routine	7,319	10.0%	10.6%	11.3%	418
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,986	2.7%	3.4%	5.6%	581
Never worked	1,195	1.6%	2.2%	3.8%	594
Long-term unemployed	791	1.1%	1.2%	1.7%	542
Not classified	4,330	5.9%	7.9%	9.0%	494
Full-time students	4,330	5.9%	7.9%	9.0%	494

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	51,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	4,261	8.3%	7.0%	5.9%	132
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	808	1.6%	1.6%	8.5%	469
Bus or coach	1,173	2.3%	4.7%	7.5%	557
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	38,938	76.1%	68.9%	64.0%	119
Bicycle	1,153	2.3%	3.5%	2.7%	268
On Foot	4,596	9.0%	13.6%	10.6%	371
Other	259	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	510

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		South West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	510 ¹		102%	98%	280
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	541	1.1%	1.6%	2.7%	558
Change over 1 year		-43.1%	-36.3%	-30.0%	602
Change over 4 years		-56.1%	-48.1%	-41.0%	565

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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