

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Mid Dorset and North Poole

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	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	39,068	48.4%	49.0%	49.1%	547
Females	41,725	51.6%	51.0%	50.9%	104
People living in households	80,010	99.0%	97.8%	98.2%	201
People living in communal establishments	783	1.0%	2.2%	1.8%	428
Students living away from home ¹	1,284	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	4.6	-	-	-	412

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	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	14,134	17.5%	17.5%	18.8%	478
16 to 24	7,950	9.8%	11.3%	11.9%	489
25 to 44	17,118	21.2%	24.6%	27.3%	620
45 to 64	24,130	29.9%	26.9%	25.6%	44
65 and older	17,461	21.6%	19.6%	16.4%	69

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	33,922	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	8,884	26.2%	30.3%	30.6%	572
Aged 65 and older	4,943	14.6%	13.8%	12.5%	95
Aged under 65	3,941	11.6%	16.5%	18.1%	643
One family	23,246	68.5%	62.9%	61.7%	65
Lone parent with dependent children	1,763	5.2%	5.9%	7.2%	544
Other	1,792	5.3%	6.8%	7.7%	421

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	33,922	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	11,784	34.7%	34.4%	33.9%	301
With dependent children	662	2.0%	3.0%	4.2%	599
Without dependent children	11,122	32.8%	31.4%	29.7%	181

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	79,184	98.0%	95.4%	87.2%	114
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	77,463	95.9%	91.8%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	343	0.4%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	103	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,275	1.6%	3.0%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	684	0.8%	1.4%	2.0%	462
White and Black Caribbean	176	0.2%	0.5%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	84	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	273	0.3%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	151	0.2%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	736	0.9%	2.0%	6.9%	540
Indian	180	0.2%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	40	0.0%	0.2%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	98	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	
Chinese	200	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	218	0.3%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	109	0.1%	0.9%	3.0%	598
African	70	0.1%	0.5%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	16	0.0%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	23	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	80	0.1%	0.3%	0.9%	577
Arab	19	0.0%	0.1%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	61	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	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	76,676	94.9%	92.3%	87.3%	199
England	74,184	91.8%	88.6%	71.9%	144
Scotland	1,139	1.4%	1.4%	8.2%	268
Wales	1,098	1.4%	2.0%	4.4%	135
Northern Ireland	253	0.3%	0.4%	2.9%	439
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	520
Ireland	286	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	474
Other European Union	1,501	1.9%	2.9%	3.5%	432
Member states in March 2001	979	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	270
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	522	0.6%	1.4%	1.9%	518
Other countries	2,330	2.9%	4.3%	8.4%	418

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	80,793	...	5,288,935
All passports ³	69,032
No passport	12,299	15.2%	19.4%	16.9%	393
United Kingdom	66,960	82.9%	76.4%	75.2%	53
Republic of Ireland	256	0.3%	0.4%	1.4%	428
Other Europe: EU countries	805	1.0%	2.2%	3.4%	465
Other Europe: Non EU countries	82	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	343
Africa	160	0.2%	0.4%	0.9%	433
Middle East and Asia	299	0.4%	0.9%	2.0%	473
North America and the Caribbean	223	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	339
Central America	13	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	141
South America	31	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	298
Antarctica and Oceania	196	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	223

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	33,922	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)	33,242	98.0%	95.9%	91.2%	109
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	449	1.3%	1.8%	3.7%	386
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)	39	0.1%	0.3%	0.8%	488
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	192	0.6%	2.0%	4.3%	543

... 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	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	51,461	63.7%	60.4%	59.3%	220
Buddhist	188	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	413
Hindu	109	0.1%	0.3%	1.5%	476
Jewish	89	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	253
Muslim	217	0.3%	1.0%	4.8%	505
Sikh	32	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	481
Other religion	351	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	198
No religion	22,234	27.5%	29.3%	25.1%	200
Religion not stated	6,112	7.6%	7.9%	7.2%	160

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	80,793	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	38,857	48.1%	46.9%	47.6%	257
Good health	28,338	35.1%	34.6%	33.6%	169
Fair health	10,146	12.6%	13.4%	13.2%	416
Bad health	2,712	3.4%	4.0%	4.3%	512
Very bad health	740	0.9%	1.1%	1.3%	531

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	33,922	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	26,397	77.8%	67.4%	63.5%	33
Owned outright	14,197	41.9%	35.4%	30.6%	39
Owned with a mortgage or loan	12,200	36.0%	32.0%	32.9%	219
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	200	0.6%	0.8%	0.7%	335
Social rented¹	3,340	9.8%	13.3%	18.2%	591
Rented from council (Local Authority)	798	2.4%	5.8%		561
Other social rented	2,542	7.5%	7.5%	8.3%	306
Private rented	3,623	10.7%	17.1%	16.3%	545
Private landlord or letting agency	3,239	9.5%	15.2%	14.8%	545
Other private rented	384	1.1%	1.9%	1.4%	465
Living rent free	362	1.1%	1.4%	1.4%	474

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	33,922	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	4,077	12.0%	18.9%	26.0%	618
1 car or van in household	13,870	40.9%	43.5%	42.2%	501
2 cars or vans in household	11,563	34.1%	28.3%	24.5%	68
3 cars or vans in household	3,151	9.3%	6.7%	5.4%	31
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,261	3.7%	2.6%	1.9%	45

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	66,659	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	12,590	18.9%	20.7%	23.2%	504
Level 1 qualifications	9,736	14.6%	13.6%	14.1%	234
Level 2 qualifications	11,651	17.5%	16.4%	15.2%	51
Apprenticeship ¹	3,556	5.3%	4.3%	...	30
Level 3 qualifications	8,501	12.8%	13.2%	12.1%	120
Level 4 qualifications and above	18,035	27.1%	27.4%	27.0%	272
Other qualifications ¹	2,590	3.9%	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	58,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	41,415	71.3%	70.3%	69.5%	222
Employee: Part-time	9,872	17.0%	15.1%	13.7%	4
Employee: Full-time	22,261	38.3%	37.4%	38.5%	346
Self-employed	6,113	10.5%	11.2%	9.5%	223
Unemployed	1,464	2.5%	3.3%	4.4%	616
Full-time student	1,705	2.9%	3.2%	3.5%	288
Economically inactive	16,692	28.7%	29.7%	30.5%	429
Retired	10,617	18.3%	15.8%	13.9%	89
Student (including full-time students)	1,925	3.3%	4.9%	5.8%	554
Looking after home or family	2,057	3.5%	3.7%	4.3%	481
Long-term sick or disabled	1,388	2.4%	3.6%	4.3%	575
Other	705	1.2%	1.7%	2.2%	621
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In employment	38,246	65.8%	63.8%	61.6%	159
Unemployed	1,464	2.5%	3.3%	4.4%	616
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	406	0.7%	0.9%	1.2%	601
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	366	0.6%	0.7%	0.8%	589
Unemployed: Never worked	124	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	632
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	527	0.9%	1.2%	1.7%	616

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	39,716	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	217	0.5%	1.6%	1.0%	265
Mining and quarrying	82	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	210
Manufacturing	4,489	11.3%	9.1%	8.9%	173
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	184	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	346
Water supply ¹	368	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	129
Construction	3,447	8.7%	8.0%	7.7%	193
Wholesale and retail trade ²	6,396	16.1%	16.2%	15.9%	316
Transport and storage	1,422	3.6%	4.0%	4.9%	542
Accommodation and food service activities	1,842	4.6%	6.3%	5.6%	451
Information and communication	1,184	3.0%	3.3%	3.8%	314
Financial and insurance activities	2,151	5.4%	3.7%	4.3%	141
Real estate activities	648	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	145
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,246	5.7%	5.9%	6.4%	298
Administrative and support service activities	1,549	3.9%	4.4%	4.8%	551
Public administration and defence ³	2,439	6.1%	7.1%	6.1%	274
Education	4,076	10.3%	9.7%	9.8%	211
Human health and social work activities	4,849	12.2%	12.9%	12.8%	410
Other	2,127	5.4%	4.8%	5.0%	136

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	39,716	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,624	11.6%	11.1%	10.5%	185
Professional occupations	6,817	17.2%	16.5%	17.3%	264
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,695	11.8%	12.1%	12.6%	335
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,129	12.9%	11.0%	11.5%	110
Skilled trades occupations	5,405	13.6%	13.4%	11.6%	143
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,678	9.3%	9.8%	9.4%	376
Sales and customer service occupations	3,391	8.5%	8.4%	8.6%	343
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,334	5.9%	6.7%	7.3%	465
Elementary occupations	3,643	9.2%	11.0%	11.2%	509

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	58,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	6,683	11.5%	10.2%	10.0%	185
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,685	2.9%	2.4%	2.3%	139
Higher professional occupations	4,998	8.6%	7.8%	7.8%	199
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	13,662	23.5%	21.6%	20.7%	152
Intermediate	8,974	15.4%	12.8%	12.8%	57
Small employers and own account workers	6,067	10.4%	11.3%	9.2%	196
Lower supervisory and technical	4,248	7.3%	7.3%	7.1%	314
Semi-routine occupations	8,264	14.2%	14.8%	14.2%	370
Routine	5,390	9.3%	10.6%	11.3%	463
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,268	2.2%	3.4%	5.6%	635
Never worked	741	1.3%	2.2%	3.8%	642
Long-term unemployed	527	0.9%	1.2%	1.7%	616
Not classified	3,551	6.1%	7.9%	9.0%	462
Full-time students	3,551	6.1%	7.9%	9.0%	462

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	39,716	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	2,569	6.5%	7.0%	5.9%	238
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	466	1.2%	1.6%	8.5%	536
Bus or coach	1,132	2.9%	4.7%	7.5%	502
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	31,246	78.7%	68.9%	64.0%	50
Bicycle	1,415	3.6%	3.5%	2.7%	127
On Foot	2,637	6.6%	13.6%	10.6%	583
Other	251	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	294

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)	367	0.9%	1.6%	2.7%	587
Change over 1 year		-35.7%	-36.3%	-30.0%	468
Change over 4 years		-53.0%	-48.1%	-41.0%	510

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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