

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Manchester, Gorton

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	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	56,308	50.6%	49.1%	49.1%	31
Females	54,890	49.4%	50.9%	50.9%	620
People living in households	105,089	94.5%	98.2%	98.2%	550
People living in communal establishments	6,109	5.5%	1.8%	1.8%	27
Students living away from home ¹	910	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	63.1	-	-	-	39

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	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	23,504	21.1%	18.6%	18.8%	70
16 to 24	25,058	22.5%	12.1%	11.9%	14
25 to 44	35,141	31.6%	26.4%	27.3%	81
45 to 64	18,330	16.5%	26.0%	25.6%	644
65 and older	9,165	8.2%	16.6%	16.4%	633

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	40,300	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	13,253	32.9%	32.2%	30.6%	147
Aged 65 and older	3,393	8.4%	12.8%	12.5%	620
Aged under 65	9,860	24.5%	19.4%	18.1%	59
One family	19,432	48.2%	61.2%	61.7%	615
Lone parent with dependent children	3,878	9.6%	8.1%	7.2%	66
Other	7,615	18.9%	6.6%	7.7%	22

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	40,300	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	14,309	35.5%	36.4%	33.9%	261
With dependent children	3,380	8.4%	4.7%	4.2%	19
Without dependent children	10,929	27.1%	31.7%	29.7%	475

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	58,296	52.4%	90.2%	87.2%	621
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	49,965	44.9%	87.1%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	3,032	2.7%	0.9%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	214	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	5,085	4.6%	2.1%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	5,484	4.9%	1.6%	2.0%	43
White and Black Caribbean	1,954	1.8%	0.6%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	986	0.9%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	1,227	1.1%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	1,317	1.2%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	32,461	29.2%	6.2%	6.9%	25
Indian	2,850	2.6%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	20,631	18.6%	2.7%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	4,044	3.6%	0.7%	0.7%	
Chinese	2,060	1.9%	0.7%	0.7%	
Other Asian	2,876	2.6%	0.7%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	10,860	9.8%	1.4%	3.0%	47
African	6,154	5.5%	0.8%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	2,783	2.5%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	1,923	1.7%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	4,097	3.7%	0.6%	0.9%	27
Arab	2,495	2.2%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	1,602	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 British².

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	74,971	67.4%	91.8%	87.3%	598
England	71,844	64.6%	89.0%	71.9%	482
Scotland	1,163	1.0%	1.4%	8.2%	451
Wales	946	0.9%	0.9%	4.4%	277
Northern Ireland	982	0.9%	0.5%	2.9%	36
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	36	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	46
Ireland	2,174	2.0%	0.7%	0.7%	28
Other European Union	5,131	4.6%	2.0%	3.5%	133
Member states in March 2001	2,273	2.0%	0.8%	1.6%	112
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	2,858	2.6%	1.2%	1.9%	144
Other countries	28,922	26.0%	5.5%	8.4%	44

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	111,198	...	7,052,177
All passports ³	98,076
No passport	15,244	13.7%	17.9%	16.9%	435
United Kingdom	75,184	67.6%	77.9%	75.2%	534
Republic of Ireland	2,165	1.9%	0.6%	1.4%	57
Other Europe: EU countries	5,979	5.4%	1.8%	3.4%	86
Other Europe: Non EU countries	323	0.3%	0.1%	0.3%	121
Africa	3,354	3.0%	0.5%	0.9%	29
Middle East and Asia	9,775	8.8%	1.4%	2.0%	14
North America and the Caribbean	845	0.8%	0.2%	0.6%	94
Central America	85	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	19
South America	150	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	96
Antarctica and Oceania	203	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	308

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	40,300	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)	29,188	72.4%	94.2%	91.2%	554
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	4,372	10.8%	2.4%	3.7%	44
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)	1,150	2.9%	0.5%	0.8%	33
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	5,590	13.9%	2.9%	4.3%	37

... 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	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	43,788	39.4%	67.3%	59.3%	549
Buddhist	693	0.6%	0.3%	0.4%	98
Hindu	1,200	1.1%	0.5%	1.5%	167
Jewish	316	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	109
Muslim	32,010	28.8%	5.1%	4.8%	11
Sikh	689	0.6%	0.1%	0.8%	125
Other religion	450	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	237
No religion	23,993	21.6%	19.8%	25.1%	436
Religion not stated	8,059	7.2%	6.2%	7.2%	231

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	111,198	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	54,261	48.8%	46.5%	47.6%	222
Good health	36,223	32.6%	32.8%	33.6%	480
Fair health	13,396	12.0%	13.9%	13.2%	471
Bad health	5,576	5.0%	5.3%	4.3%	181
Very bad health	1,742	1.6%	1.5%	1.3%	149

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	40,300	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	15,765	39.1%	64.5%	63.5%	621
Owned outright	6,620	16.4%	31.0%	30.6%	621
Owned with a mortgage or loan	9,145	22.7%	33.5%	32.9%	619
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	312	0.8%	0.5%	0.7%	203
Social rented¹	10,293	25.5%	18.3%	18.2%	101
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,978	7.4%	7.7%		361
Other social rented	7,315	18.2%	10.6%	8.3%	28
Private rented	13,218	32.8%	15.4%	16.3%	16
Private landlord or letting agency	12,488	31.0%	14.1%	14.8%	20
Other private rented	730	1.8%	1.3%	1.4%	95
Living rent free	712	1.8%	1.3%	1.4%	103

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	40,300	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	18,248	45.3%	28.0%	26.0%	44
1 car or van in household	16,373	40.6%	42.5%	42.2%	515
2 cars or vans in household	4,604	11.4%	23.5%	24.5%	609
3 cars or vans in household	853	2.1%	4.6%	5.4%	599
4 or more cars or vans in household	222	0.6%	1.4%	1.9%	603

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	87,694	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	19,255	22.0%	24.8%	23.2%	372
Level 1 qualifications	9,241	10.5%	13.6%	14.1%	587
Level 2 qualifications	10,204	11.6%	15.8%	15.2%	601
Apprenticeship ¹	1,258	1.4%	3.9%	...	547
Level 3 qualifications	17,103	19.5%	12.9%	12.1%	17
Level 4 qualifications and above	22,802	26.0%	24.4%	27.0%	310
Other qualifications ¹	7,831	8.9%	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	83,400	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	49,593	59.5%	67.8%	69.5%	641
Employee: Part-time	9,298	11.1%	13.9%	13.7%	599
Employee: Full-time	22,333	26.8%	37.5%	38.5%	646
Self-employed	5,429	6.5%	8.2%	9.5%	540
Unemployed	4,938	5.9%	4.7%	4.4%	96
Full-time student	7,595	9.1%	3.5%	3.5%	9
Economically inactive	33,807	40.5%	32.2%	30.5%	10
Retired	5,488	6.6%	14.8%	13.9%	630
Student (including full-time students)	14,738	17.7%	5.6%	5.8%	11
Looking after home or family	5,219	6.3%	3.9%	4.3%	33
Long-term sick or disabled	5,056	6.1%	5.6%	4.3%	117
Other	3,306	4.0%	2.2%	2.2%	27
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In employment	37,060	44.4%	59.6%	61.6%	645
Unemployed	4,938	5.9%	4.7%	4.4%	96
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,321	1.6%	1.4%	1.2%	143
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	624	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	400
Unemployed: Never worked	1,169	1.4%	0.8%	0.7%	46
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,835	2.2%	1.8%	1.7%	146

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	42,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	36	0.1%	0.7%	1.0%	568
Mining and quarrying	13	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	618
Manufacturing	2,161	5.1%	10.3%	8.9%	550
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	174	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	398
Water supply ¹	177	0.4%	0.8%	0.7%	586
Construction	1,821	4.3%	7.4%	7.7%	622
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,218	17.0%	16.7%	15.9%	206
Transport and storage	2,393	5.6%	5.0%	4.9%	170
Accommodation and food service activities	4,724	11.1%	5.9%	5.6%	12
Information and communication	1,482	3.5%	2.9%	3.8%	253
Financial and insurance activities	1,510	3.6%	3.5%	4.3%	331
Real estate activities	610	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	267
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,466	5.8%	5.6%	6.4%	279
Administrative and support service activities	2,814	6.6%	4.9%	4.8%	29
Public administration and defence ³	1,683	4.0%	6.0%	6.1%	605
Education	5,056	11.9%	9.7%	9.8%	64
Human health and social work activities	5,693	13.4%	13.9%	12.8%	275
Other	2,461	5.8%	4.6%	5.0%	79

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	42,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	2,844	6.7%	9.9%	10.5%	627
Professional occupations	7,313	17.2%	16.3%	17.3%	257
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,591	10.8%	11.5%	12.6%	456
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,330	10.2%	11.8%	11.5%	504
Skilled trades occupations	3,360	7.9%	11.3%	11.6%	598
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,155	9.8%	10.1%	9.4%	285
Sales and customer service occupations	5,671	13.3%	9.4%	8.6%	5
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,219	7.6%	8.1%	7.3%	304
Elementary occupations	7,009	16.5%	11.6%	11.2%	27

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	83,400	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,054	6.1%	8.9%	10.0%	556
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	651	0.8%	2.1%	2.3%	647
Higher professional occupations	4,403	5.3%	6.8%	7.8%	480
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	10,676	12.8%	19.4%	20.7%	642
Intermediate	7,726	9.3%	13.1%	12.8%	627
Small employers and own account workers	5,350	6.4%	8.5%	9.2%	572
Lower supervisory and technical	4,068	4.9%	7.4%	7.1%	592
Semi-routine occupations	9,844	11.8%	15.1%	14.2%	522
Routine	8,416	10.1%	12.3%	11.3%	413
Never worked and long-term unemployed	10,333	12.4%	6.2%	5.6%	19
Never worked	8,498	10.2%	4.3%	3.8%	17
Long-term unemployed	1,835	2.2%	1.8%	1.7%	147
Not classified	21,933	26.3%	9.0%	9.0%	10
Full-time students	21,933	26.3%	9.0%	9.0%	10

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	42,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,472	3.5%	4.5%	5.9%	515
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	1,447	3.4%	3.4%	8.5%	305
Bus or coach	12,106	28.5%	8.3%	7.5%	2
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	20,717	48.8%	70.2%	64.0%	570
Bicycle	2,106	5.0%	2.2%	2.7%	64
On Foot	4,281	10.1%	10.9%	10.6%	290
Other	363	0.9%	0.6%	0.7%	102

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		North West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	450 ¹		94%	87%	528
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	2,257	4.6%	3.1%	2.7%	88
Change over 1 year		-36.8%	-30.5%	-30.0%	498
Change over 4 years		-41.4%	-39.8%	-41.0%	257

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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