

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Mid Sussex

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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	51,706	48.9%	49.1%	49.1%	376
Females	54,075	51.1%	50.9%	50.9%	275
People living in households	104,219	98.5%	97.8%	98.2%	332
People living in communal establishments	1,562	1.5%	2.2%	1.8%	268
Students living away from home ¹	1,849	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	5.6	-	-	-	388

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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	20,402	19.3%	19.0%	18.8%	233
16 to 24	9,668	9.1%	11.2%	11.9%	595
25 to 44	28,247	26.7%	26.5%	27.3%	294
45 to 64	28,780	27.2%	26.1%	25.6%	270
65 and older	18,684	17.7%	17.1%	16.4%	259

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All households	43,704	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	12,122	27.7%	28.8%	30.6%	477
Aged 65 and older	5,469	12.5%	12.7%	12.5%	358
Aged under 65	6,653	15.2%	16.1%	18.1%	447
One family	29,066	66.5%	63.9%	61.7%	171
Lone parent with dependent children	2,033	4.7%	6.1%	7.2%	607
Other	2,516	5.8%	7.4%	7.7%	348

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All households	43,704	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	12,025	27.5%	30.9%	33.9%	581
With dependent children	712	1.6%	3.1%	4.2%	633
Without dependent children	11,313	25.9%	27.8%	29.7%	517

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	100,033	94.6%	90.7%	87.2%	327
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	94,754	89.6%	85.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	949	0.9%	0.9%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	108	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	
Other White	4,222	4.0%	4.4%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,522	1.4%	1.9%	2.0%	294
White and Black Caribbean	314	0.3%	0.5%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	215	0.2%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	623	0.6%	0.7%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	370	0.3%	0.5%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	3,285	3.1%	5.2%	6.9%	303
Indian	1,257	1.2%	1.8%	2.3%	
Pakistani	117	0.1%	1.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	367	0.3%	0.3%	0.7%	
Chinese	402	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	1,142	1.1%	1.4%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	676	0.6%	1.6%	3.0%	325
African	422	0.4%	1.0%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	165	0.2%	0.4%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	89	0.1%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	265	0.3%	0.6%	0.9%	367
Arab	72	0.1%	0.2%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	193	0.2%	0.4%	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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	94,946	89.8%	87.9%	87.3%	418
England	91,856	86.8%	84.8%	71.9%	324
Scotland	1,717	1.6%	1.6%	8.2%	190
Wales	1,016	1.0%	1.1%	4.4%	233
Northern Ireland	346	0.3%	0.4%	2.9%	410
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	11	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	239
Ireland	742	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	206
Other European Union	3,188	3.0%	3.7%	3.5%	255
Member states in March 2001	1,940	1.8%	1.9%	1.6%	143
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	1,248	1.2%	1.8%	1.9%	356
Other countries	6,905	6.5%	7.7%	8.4%	223

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South East	England and Wales	
All usual residents	105,781	...	8,634,750
All passports ³	95,627
No passport	11,622	11.0%	14.1%	16.9%	494
United Kingdom	88,276	83.5%	79.0%	75.2%	45
Republic of Ireland	810	0.8%	0.7%	1.4%	175
Other Europe: EU countries	2,741	2.6%	3.3%	3.4%	234
Other Europe: Non EU countries	227	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	179
Africa	743	0.7%	0.9%	0.9%	200
Middle East and Asia	1,450	1.4%	1.8%	2.0%	227
North America and the Caribbean	640	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	133
Central America	17	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	142
South America	104	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	137
Antarctica and Oceania	618	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	67

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 East	England and Wales	
All households	43,704	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)	41,513	95.0%	93.2%	91.2%	321
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,135	2.6%	3.2%	3.7%	236
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)	199	0.5%	0.5%	0.8%	234
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	857	2.0%	3.1%	4.3%	302

... 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 East	England and Wales	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	65,947	62.3%	59.8%	59.3%	266
Buddhist	415	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	193
Hindu	732	0.7%	1.1%	1.5%	221
Jewish	178	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	181
Muslim	985	0.9%	2.3%	4.8%	310
Sikh	58	0.1%	0.6%	0.8%	433
Other religion	763	0.7%	0.5%	0.4%	26
No religion	28,232	26.7%	27.7%	25.1%	226
Religion not stated	8,471	8.0%	7.4%	7.2%	73

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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	105,781	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	54,609	51.6%	49.0%	47.6%	105
Good health	36,217	34.2%	34.6%	33.6%	302
Fair health	11,168	10.6%	12.0%	13.2%	594
Bad health	2,934	2.8%	3.4%	4.3%	609
Very bad health	853	0.8%	1.0%	1.3%	597

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All households	43,704	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	32,187	73.6%	67.6%	63.5%	99
Owned outright	15,023	34.4%	32.5%	30.6%	235
Owned with a mortgage or loan	17,164	39.3%	35.1%	32.9%	67
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	459	1.1%	1.1%	0.7%	98
Social rented¹	4,735	10.8%	13.7%	18.2%	546
Rented from council (Local Authority)	249	0.6%	5.8%		636
Other social rented	4,486	10.3%	7.9%	8.3%	166
Private rented	5,842	13.4%	16.3%	16.3%	377
Private landlord or letting agency	5,406	12.4%	14.7%	14.8%	345
Other private rented	436	1.0%	1.6%	1.4%	548
Living rent free	481	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	446

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 East	United Kingdom	
All households	43,704	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	6,360	14.6%	18.6%	26.0%	553
1 car or van in household	18,787	43.0%	41.7%	42.2%	293
2 cars or vans in household	14,077	32.2%	29.8%	24.5%	120
3 cars or vans in household	3,266	7.5%	7.1%	5.4%	141
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,214	2.8%	2.8%	1.9%	147

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	85,379	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	12,486	14.6%	19.1%	23.2%	613
Level 1 qualifications	11,590	13.6%	13.5%	14.1%	371
Level 2 qualifications	14,833	17.4%	15.9%	15.2%	65
Apprenticeship ¹	2,779	3.3%	3.6%	...	423
Level 3 qualifications	11,461	13.4%	12.8%	12.1%	81
Level 4 qualifications and above	28,583	33.5%	29.9%	27.0%	111
Other qualifications ¹	3,647	4.3%	5.2%

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1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	76,178	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	57,441	75.4%	72.1%	69.5%	39
Employee: Part-time	11,592	15.2%	13.8%	13.7%	104
Employee: Full-time	32,867	43.1%	40.4%	38.5%	76
Self-employed	9,039	11.9%	11.0%	9.5%	139
Unemployed	1,897	2.5%	3.4%	4.4%	619
Full-time student	2,046	2.7%	3.3%	3.5%	376
Economically inactive	18,737	24.6%	27.9%	30.5%	612
Retired	10,528	13.8%	13.7%	13.9%	381
Student (including full-time students)	2,500	3.3%	5.2%	5.8%	562
Looking after home or family	3,094	4.1%	4.4%	4.3%	312
Long-term sick or disabled	1,565	2.1%	2.9%	4.3%	616
Other	1,050	1.4%	1.8%	2.2%	580
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In employment	53,498	70.2%	65.3%	61.6%	20
Unemployed	1,897	2.5%	3.4%	4.4%	619
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	464	0.6%	0.9%	1.2%	634
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	481	0.6%	0.7%	0.8%	587
Unemployed: Never worked	164	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	631
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	671	0.9%	1.3%	1.7%	621

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	55,267	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	283	0.5%	0.7%	1.0%	273
Mining and quarrying	69	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	310
Manufacturing	3,148	5.7%	7.2%	8.9%	513
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	296	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	284
Water supply ¹	275	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	531
Construction	4,131	7.5%	8.0%	7.7%	410
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,443	13.5%	15.6%	15.9%	576
Transport and storage	3,393	6.1%	5.2%	4.9%	117
Accommodation and food service activities	2,415	4.4%	5.0%	5.6%	519
Information and communication	2,821	5.1%	5.5%	3.8%	114
Financial and insurance activities	4,519	8.2%	4.5%	4.3%	46
Real estate activities	728	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	350
Professional, scientific and technical activities	4,237	7.7%	7.5%	6.4%	128
Administrative and support service activities	3,124	5.7%	5.2%	4.8%	89
Public administration and defence ³	2,483	4.5%	6.0%	6.1%	545
Education	5,334	9.7%	10.1%	9.8%	296
Human health and social work activities	7,533	13.6%	11.6%	12.8%	247
Other	3,035	5.5%	5.1%	5.0%	113

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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	55,267	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	7,105	12.9%	12.3%	10.5%	104
Professional occupations	10,618	19.2%	18.7%	17.3%	171
Associate professional and technical occupations	8,429	15.3%	13.8%	12.6%	70
Administrative and secretarial occupations	6,873	12.4%	11.5%	11.5%	168
Skilled trades occupations	5,604	10.1%	11.1%	11.6%	489
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	5,980	10.8%	9.3%	9.4%	120
Sales and customer service occupations	3,891	7.0%	7.9%	8.6%	535
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,378	4.3%	5.7%	7.3%	573
Elementary occupations	4,389	7.9%	9.7%	11.2%	576

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	76,178	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	11,038	14.5%	12.6%	10.0%	90
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	2,542	3.3%	2.9%	2.3%	79
Higher professional occupations	8,496	11.2%	9.7%	7.8%	93
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	20,643	27.1%	23.4%	20.7%	34
Intermediate	11,844	15.5%	13.6%	12.8%	48
Small employers and own account workers	7,769	10.2%	10.2%	9.2%	218
Lower supervisory and technical	4,697	6.2%	6.5%	7.1%	492
Semi-routine occupations	9,092	11.9%	12.7%	14.2%	516
Routine	4,934	6.5%	8.9%	11.3%	591
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,732	2.3%	3.7%	5.6%	633
Never worked	1,061	1.4%	2.4%	3.8%	631
Long-term unemployed	671	0.9%	1.3%	1.7%	621
Not classified	4,429	5.8%	8.3%	9.0%	519
Full-time students	4,429	5.8%	8.3%	9.0%	519

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 East	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	55,267	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	3,956	7.2%	6.6%	5.9%	198
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	7,865	14.2%	7.7%	8.5%	98
Bus or coach	828	1.5%	4.5%	7.5%	628
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	34,695	62.8%	66.8%	64.0%	483
Bicycle	769	1.4%	3.0%	2.7%	441
On Foot	6,861	12.4%	10.9%	10.6%	162
Other	293	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	462

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		South East	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	580 ¹		102%	112%	112
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	332	0.6%	1.5%	2.7%	646
Change over 1 year		-39.3%	-33.9%	-30.0%	550
Change over 4 years		-64.7%	-49.1%	-41.0%	638

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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