

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Halesowen and Rowley Regis

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	42,704	48.9%	49.3%	49.1%	366
Females	44,615	51.1%	50.7%	50.9%	285
People living in households	86,916	99.5%	98.4%	98.2%	22
People living in communal establishments	403	0.5%	1.6%	1.8%	628
Students living away from home ¹	700	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	29.3	-	-	-	173

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	16,562	19.0%	19.6%	18.8%	270
16 to 24	9,672	11.1%	12.1%	11.9%	294
25 to 44	22,476	25.7%	26.3%	27.3%	363
45 to 64	22,392	25.6%	25.2%	25.6%	401
65 and older	16,217	18.6%	16.9%	16.4%	201

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	36,549	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	10,731	29.4%	29.6%	30.6%	362
Aged 65 and older	5,203	14.2%	12.6%	12.5%	126
Aged under 65	5,528	15.1%	16.9%	18.1%	456
One family	23,887	65.4%	63.2%	61.7%	240
Lone parent with dependent children	2,514	6.9%	7.5%	7.2%	321
Other	1,931	5.3%	7.3%	7.7%	420

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	36,549	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	13,495	36.9%	35.2%	33.9%	197
With dependent children	1,670	4.6%	4.8%	4.2%	232
Without dependent children	11,825	32.4%	30.3%	29.7%	203

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	77,765	89.1%	82.7%	87.2%	453
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	76,461	87.6%	79.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	468	0.5%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	21	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	815	0.9%	2.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,745	2.0%	2.4%	2.0%	204
White and Black Caribbean	962	1.1%	1.2%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	100	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	408	0.5%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	275	0.3%	0.4%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	5,328	6.1%	10.8%	6.9%	185
Indian	2,003	2.3%	3.9%	2.3%	
Pakistani	2,182	2.5%	4.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	372	0.4%	0.9%	0.7%	
Chinese	211	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	560	0.6%	1.3%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	1,282	1.5%	3.3%	3.0%	211
African	413	0.5%	1.1%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	695	0.8%	1.5%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	174	0.2%	0.6%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	1,199	1.4%	0.9%	0.9%	108
Arab	929	1.1%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	270	0.3%	0.6%	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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	82,358	94.3%	88.8%	87.3%	242
England	81,267	93.1%	86.1%	71.9%	94
Scotland	402	0.5%	0.9%	8.2%	627
Wales	535	0.6%	1.4%	4.4%	381
Northern Ireland	149	0.2%	0.3%	2.9%	627
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	5	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	384
Ireland	341	0.4%	0.8%	0.7%	441
Other European Union	750	0.9%	2.4%	3.5%	625
Member states in March 2001	388	0.4%	0.9%	1.6%	614
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	362	0.4%	1.5%	1.9%	608
Other countries	3,870	4.4%	8.1%	8.4%	320

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	87,319	...	5,601,847
All passports ³	66,909
No passport	20,720	23.7%	20.5%	16.9%	84
United Kingdom	64,685	74.1%	73.9%	75.2%	376
Republic of Ireland	282	0.3%	0.6%	1.4%	421
Other Europe: EU countries	612	0.7%	2.3%	3.4%	535
Other Europe: Non EU countries	45	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	528
Africa	255	0.3%	0.6%	0.9%	346
Middle East and Asia	827	0.9%	2.0%	2.0%	288
North America and the Caribbean	131	0.2%	0.3%	0.6%	475
Central America	3	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	446
South America	14	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	495
Antarctica and Oceania	55	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	543

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	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All households	36,549	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)	34,998	95.8%	91.9%	91.2%	287
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	852	2.3%	3.7%	3.7%	268
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)	134	0.4%	0.7%	0.8%	273
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	565	1.5%	3.7%	4.3%	352

... 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	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	55,041	63.0%	60.2%	59.3%	242
Buddhist	170	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	489
Hindu	428	0.5%	1.3%	1.5%	276
Jewish	17	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	545
Muslim	3,861	4.4%	6.7%	4.8%	155
Sikh	1,548	1.8%	2.4%	0.8%	49
Other religion	238	0.3%	0.5%	0.4%	485
No religion	20,390	23.4%	22.0%	25.1%	382
Religion not stated	5,626	6.4%	6.6%	7.2%	438

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	87,319	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	37,578	43.0%	45.1%	47.6%	569
Good health	30,739	35.2%	34.8%	33.6%	151
Fair health	13,229	15.2%	14.0%	13.2%	117
Bad health	4,531	5.2%	4.7%	4.3%	153
Very bad health	1,242	1.4%	1.4%	1.3%	214

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	36,549	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	24,848	68.0%	64.9%	63.5%	281
Owned outright	12,341	33.8%	32.3%	30.6%	261
Owned with a mortgage or loan	12,507	34.2%	32.6%	32.9%	304
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	185	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	414
Social rented¹	7,395	20.2%	19.0%	18.2%	213
Rented from council (Local Authority)	6,003	16.4%	10.9%		115
Other social rented	1,392	3.8%	8.1%	8.3%	536
Private rented	3,516	9.6%	14.0%	16.3%	595
Private landlord or letting agency	3,197	8.7%	12.8%	14.8%	581
Other private rented	319	0.9%	1.2%	1.4%	610
Living rent free	605	1.7%	1.5%	1.4%	145

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	36,549	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	8,835	24.2%	24.7%	26.0%	288
1 car or van in household	15,818	43.3%	41.5%	42.2%	262
2 cars or vans in household	9,194	25.2%	25.8%	24.5%	342
3 cars or vans in household	2,052	5.6%	5.9%	5.4%	314
4 or more cars or vans in household	650	1.8%	2.1%	1.9%	327

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	70,757	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	21,618	30.6%	26.6%	23.2%	85
Level 1 qualifications	10,247	14.5%	13.7%	14.1%	253
Level 2 qualifications	11,518	16.3%	15.4%	15.2%	250
Apprenticeship ¹	2,486	3.5%	3.3%	...	373
Level 3 qualifications	8,400	11.9%	12.3%	12.1%	293
Level 4 qualifications and above	13,410	19.0%	23.3%	27.0%	549
Other qualifications ¹	3,078	4.4%	5.4%

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1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	63,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	43,270	68.5%	68.3%	69.5%	401
Employee: Part-time	9,112	14.4%	14.0%	13.7%	268
Employee: Full-time	24,678	39.1%	37.4%	38.5%	300
Self-employed	4,551	7.2%	8.5%	9.5%	486
Unemployed	3,276	5.2%	5.1%	4.4%	169
Full-time student	1,653	2.6%	3.3%	3.5%	416
Economically inactive	19,918	31.5%	31.7%	30.5%	250
Retired	10,311	16.3%	14.4%	13.9%	199
Student (including full-time students)	2,804	4.4%	5.9%	5.8%	294
Looking after home or family	2,828	4.5%	4.6%	4.3%	207
Long-term sick or disabled	2,743	4.3%	4.4%	4.3%	278
Other	1,232	1.9%	2.4%	2.2%	299
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In employment	38,341	60.7%	59.9%	61.6%	398
Unemployed	3,276	5.2%	5.1%	4.4%	169
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	968	1.5%	1.5%	1.2%	165
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	602	1.0%	0.9%	0.8%	119
Unemployed: Never worked	584	0.9%	0.9%	0.7%	150
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,434	2.3%	2.1%	1.7%	130

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	39,589	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	35	0.1%	0.9%	1.0%	557
Mining and quarrying	10	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	627
Manufacturing	5,099	12.9%	12.3%	8.9%	106
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	389	1.0%	0.7%	0.6%	84
Water supply ¹	322	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	224
Construction	3,415	8.6%	7.5%	7.7%	204
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,034	17.8%	17.1%	15.9%	136
Transport and storage	1,969	5.0%	5.2%	4.9%	267
Accommodation and food service activities	1,721	4.3%	5.2%	5.6%	525
Information and communication	951	2.4%	2.9%	3.8%	449
Financial and insurance activities	1,532	3.9%	3.1%	4.3%	289
Real estate activities	557	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	294
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,928	4.9%	5.1%	6.4%	386
Administrative and support service activities	1,688	4.3%	4.7%	4.8%	445
Public administration and defence ³	2,342	5.9%	5.3%	6.1%	301
Education	4,068	10.3%	10.2%	9.8%	209
Human health and social work activities	4,756	12.0%	12.9%	12.8%	428
Other	1,773	4.5%	4.5%	5.0%	407

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	39,589	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,666	9.3%	10.1%	10.5%	414
Professional occupations	5,497	13.9%	15.8%	17.3%	461
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,522	11.4%	11.1%	12.6%	382
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,619	14.2%	11.4%	11.5%	43
Skilled trades occupations	5,072	12.8%	12.2%	11.6%	222
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,656	9.2%	9.5%	9.4%	383
Sales and customer service occupations	3,777	9.5%	8.6%	8.6%	194
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,554	9.0%	8.8%	7.3%	175
Elementary occupations	4,226	10.7%	12.5%	11.2%	381

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	63,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	4,822	7.6%	8.7%	10.0%	429
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,372	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	304
Higher professional occupations	3,450	5.5%	6.6%	7.8%	462
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	11,779	18.6%	18.8%	20.7%	462
Intermediate	9,460	15.0%	12.4%	12.8%	88
Small employers and own account workers	4,967	7.9%	8.7%	9.2%	436
Lower supervisory and technical	4,648	7.4%	7.2%	7.1%	307
Semi-routine occupations	10,773	17.0%	15.5%	14.2%	147
Routine	8,411	13.3%	12.9%	11.3%	203
Never worked and long-term unemployed	3,977	6.3%	6.8%	5.6%	195
Never worked	2,543	4.0%	4.8%	3.8%	204
Long-term unemployed	1,434	2.3%	2.1%	1.7%	130
Not classified	4,351	6.9%	9.0%	9.0%	312
Full-time students	4,351	6.9%	9.0%	9.0%	312

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	39,589	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,371	3.5%	4.8%	5.9%	516
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	1,507	3.8%	2.8%	8.5%	284
Bus or coach	3,523	8.9%	7.7%	7.5%	192
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	29,712	75.1%	72.3%	64.0%	147
Bicycle	409	1.0%	2.0%	2.7%	537
On Foot	2,878	7.3%	9.9%	10.6%	527
Other	189	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%	558

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		West Midlands	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	470 ¹		98%	90%	446
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	1,381	3.3%	3.2%	2.7%	196
Change over 1 year		-32.9%	-33.1%	-30.0%	368
Change over 4 years		-46.5%	-44.3%	-41.0%	392

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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