

# Constituency Explorer Area Profile

## South West Wiltshire

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	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Males	47,307	48.5%	49.0%	49.1%	506
Females	50,246	51.5%	51.0%	50.9%	145
People living in households	96,144	98.6%	97.8%	98.2%	325
People living in communal establishments	1,409	1.4%	2.2%	1.8%	276
Students living away from home <sup>1</sup>	1,755	-	-	-	-
<b>Population density (people per hectare)</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>560</b>

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	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
0 to 15	18,570	19.0%	17.5%	18.8%	263
16 to 24	9,619	9.9%	11.3%	11.9%	484
25 to 44	23,648	24.2%	24.6%	27.3%	476
45 to 64	26,752	27.4%	26.9%	25.6%	243
65 and older	18,964	19.4%	19.6%	16.4%	156

**Table KS105: Household composition**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,565</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>One person</b>	<b>11,604</b>	<b>27.9%</b>	<b>30.3%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>464</b>
Aged 65 and older	5,500	13.2%	13.8%	12.5%	250
Aged under 65	6,104	14.7%	16.5%	18.1%	492
<b>One family</b>	<b>27,703</b>	<b>66.6%</b>	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>61.7%</b>	<b>164</b>
Lone parent with dependent children	2,737	6.6%	5.9%	7.2%	362
<b>Other</b>	<b>2,258</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>392</b>

**Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,565</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>No adults in employment in household</b>	<b>13,569</b>	<b>32.6%</b>	<b>34.4%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>406</b>
With dependent children	1,294	3.1%	3.0%	4.2%	423
Without dependent children	12,275	29.5%	31.4%	29.7%	373

**Table KS201: Ethnic group**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>94,445</b>	<b>96.8%</b>	<b>95.4%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>244</b>
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	90,544	92.8%	91.8%	80.5% <sup>1</sup>	
Irish	441	0.5%	0.5%	0.9% <sup>1</sup>	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	104	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	3,356	3.4%	3.0%	4.4% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Mixed/multiple ethnic groups</b>	<b>1,158</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>354</b>
White and Black Caribbean	473	0.5%	0.5%	0.8% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Black African	151	0.2%	0.2%	0.3% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Asian	277	0.3%	0.4%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Mixed	257	0.3%	0.3%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Asian/Asian British</b>	<b>1,019</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>505</b>
Indian	221	0.2%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	28	0.0%	0.2%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	82	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	
Chinese	261	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	427	0.4%	0.5%	1.4%	
<b>Black/African/Caribbean/Black British<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>597</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>335</b>
African	198	0.2%	0.5%	1.8% <sup>1</sup>	
Caribbean	268	0.3%	0.3%	1.1% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Black	131	0.1%	0.2%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Other ethnic group</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>299</b>
Arab	158	0.2%	0.1%	0.4% <sup>1</sup>	
Any other ethnic group	176	0.2%	0.2%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	

... 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	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>89,501</b>	<b>91.7%</b>	<b>92.3%</b>	<b>87.3%</b>	<b>351</b>
England	85,641	87.8%	88.6%	71.9%	293
Scotland	1,479	1.5%	1.4%	8.2%	227
Wales	1,763	1.8%	2.0%	4.4%	80
Northern Ireland	609	0.6%	0.4%	2.9%	72
United Kingdom (not specified) <sup>1</sup>	9	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	267
<b>Ireland</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>396</b>
<b>Other European Union</b>	<b>4,010</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>160</b>
Member states in March 2001	1,816	1.9%	1.4%	1.6%	134
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	2,194	2.2%	1.4%	1.9%	175
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>3,617</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>355</b>

**Table KS205: Passports held**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	...	<b>5,288,935</b>	...	...
<b>All passports <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>77,691</b>	...	...	...	...
<b>No passport</b>	<b>20,539</b>	<b>21.1%</b>	<b>19.4%</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>167</b>
United Kingdom	73,324	75.2%	76.4%	75.2%	335
Republic of Ireland	295	0.3%	0.4%	1.4%	443
Other Europe: EU countries	2,418	2.5%	2.2%	3.4%	244
Other Europe: Non EU countries	108	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	324
Africa	301	0.3%	0.4%	0.9%	337
Middle East and Asia	493	0.5%	0.9%	2.0%	397
North America and the Caribbean	343	0.4%	0.4%	0.6%	264
Central America	21	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	102
South America	27	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	369
Antarctica and Oceania	360	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	127

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 language<sup>1</sup>**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,565</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	39,939	96.1%	95.9%	91.2%	274
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	659	1.6%	1.8%	3.7%	345
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)	82	0.2%	0.3%	0.8%	390
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	885	2.1%	2.0%	4.3%	282

... 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 <sup>1</sup>
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Christian	61,303	62.8%	60.4%	59.3%	249
Buddhist	274	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	323
Hindu	149	0.2%	0.3%	1.5%	460
Jewish	73	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	334
Muslim	564	0.6%	1.0%	4.8%	378
Sikh	47	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	451
Other religion	477	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	137
No religion	27,060	27.7%	29.3%	25.1%	187
Religion not stated	7,606	7.8%	7.9%	7.2%	104

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	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>97,553</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Very good health	45,495	46.6%	46.9%	47.6%	367
Good health	34,712	35.6%	34.6%	33.6%	93
Fair health	12,995	13.3%	13.4%	13.2%	329
Bad health	3,403	3.5%	4.0%	4.3%	483
Very bad health	948	1.0%	1.1%	1.3%	496

**Table KS402: Tenure**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,565</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Owned</b>	<b>28,414</b>	<b>68.4%</b>	<b>67.4%</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>273</b>
Owned outright	14,474	34.8%	35.4%	30.6%	215
Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,940	33.5%	32.0%	32.9%	338
<b>Shared ownership (part owned &amp; rented)</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>361</b>
<b>Social rented<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>5,503</b>	<b>13.2%</b>	<b>13.3%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>425</b>
Rented from council (Local Authority)	1,304	3.1%	5.8%		524
Other social rented	4,199	10.1%	7.5%	8.3%	174
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>6,779</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>17.1%</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>219</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	5,703	13.7%	15.2%	14.8%	262
Other private rented	1,076	2.6%	1.9%	1.4%	17
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>200</b>

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	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,565</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No cars or vans in household	6,791	16.3%	18.9%	26.0%	493
1 car or van in household	17,757	42.7%	43.5%	42.2%	323
2 cars or vans in household	12,845	30.9%	28.3%	24.5%	152
3 cars or vans in household	3,051	7.3%	6.7%	5.4%	158
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,121	2.7%	2.6%	1.9%	159

**Table KS501: Highest level of qualification**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and older</b>	<b>78,983</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No qualifications	16,517	20.9%	20.7%	23.2%	414
Level 1 qualifications	11,748	14.9%	13.6%	14.1%	192
Level 2 qualifications	13,765	17.4%	16.4%	15.2%	56
Apprenticeship <sup>1</sup>	3,231	4.1%	4.3%	...	232
Level 3 qualifications	9,936	12.6%	13.2%	12.1%	151
Level 4 qualifications and above	19,857	25.1%	27.4%	27.0%	341
Other qualifications <sup>1</sup>	3,929	5.0%	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	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>70,101</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>50,515</b>	<b>72.1%</b>	<b>70.3%</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>164</b>
Employee: Part-time	10,798	15.4%	15.1%	13.7%	81
Employee: Full-time	27,778	39.6%	37.4%	38.5%	258
Self-employed	7,920	11.3%	11.2%	9.5%	179
Unemployed	2,345	3.3%	3.3%	4.4%	469
Full-time student	1,674	2.4%	3.2%	3.5%	540
<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>19,586</b>	<b>27.9%</b>	<b>29.7%</b>	<b>30.5%</b>	<b>487</b>
Retired	11,260	16.1%	15.8%	13.9%	215
Student (including full-time students)	2,301	3.3%	4.9%	5.8%	561
Looking after home or family	2,832	4.0%	3.7%	4.3%	321
Long-term sick or disabled	2,092	3.0%	3.6%	4.3%	485
Other	1,101	1.6%	1.7%	2.2%	484
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<b>In employment</b>	<b>46,496</b>	<b>66.3%</b>	<b>63.8%</b>	<b>61.6%</b>	<b>129</b>
<b>Unemployed</b>	<b>2,345</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>469</b>
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	724	1.0%	0.9%	1.2%	409
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	517	0.7%	0.7%	0.8%	420
Unemployed: Never worked	248	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	498
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	884	1.3%	1.2%	1.7%	471

**Table KS605: Industry**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>47,867</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	924	1.9%	1.6%	1.0%	115
Mining and quarrying	61	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	302
Manufacturing	5,220	10.9%	9.1%	8.9%	199
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	130	0.3%	0.6%	0.6%	558
Water supply <sup>1</sup>	348	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	317
Construction	3,480	7.3%	8.0%	7.7%	446
Wholesale and retail trade <sup>2</sup>	8,126	17.0%	16.2%	15.9%	209
Transport and storage	1,794	3.7%	4.0%	4.9%	511
Accommodation and food service activities	3,024	6.3%	6.3%	5.6%	176
Information and communication	1,920	4.0%	3.3%	3.8%	190
Financial and insurance activities	1,044	2.2%	3.7%	4.3%	520
Real estate activities	610	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	386
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,602	5.4%	5.9%	6.4%	314
Administrative and support service activities	2,347	4.9%	4.4%	4.8%	238
Public administration and defence <sup>3</sup>	4,689	9.8%	7.1%	6.1%	37
Education	4,285	9.0%	9.7%	9.8%	416
Human health and social work activities	4,901	10.2%	12.9%	12.8%	569
Other	2,362	4.9%	4.8%	5.0%	243

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	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>47,867</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,300	11.1%	11.1%	10.5%	238
Professional occupations	6,576	13.7%	16.5%	17.3%	474
Associate professional and technical occupations	5,767	12.0%	12.1%	12.6%	305
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,307	11.1%	11.0%	11.5%	352
Skilled trades occupations	6,578	13.7%	13.4%	11.6%	130
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,703	9.8%	9.8%	9.4%	270
Sales and customer service occupations	4,112	8.6%	8.4%	8.6%	335
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,780	7.9%	6.7%	7.3%	272
Elementary occupations	5,744	12.0%	11.0%	11.2%	239



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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>70,101</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	6,977	10.0%	10.2%	10.0%	276
Higher managerial and administrative <sup>1</sup>	2,089	3.0%	2.4%	2.3%	127
Higher professional occupations	4,888	7.0%	7.8%	7.8%	325
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	14,977	21.4%	21.6%	20.7%	286
Intermediate	9,319	13.3%	12.8%	12.8%	263
Small employers and own account workers	7,891	11.3%	11.3%	9.2%	144
Lower supervisory and technical	5,515	7.9%	7.3%	7.1%	214
Semi-routine occupations	10,837	15.5%	14.8%	14.2%	266
Routine	8,456	12.1%	10.6%	11.3%	271
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,243	3.2%	3.4%	5.6%	510
Never worked	1,359	1.9%	2.2%	3.8%	523
Long-term unemployed	884	1.3%	1.2%	1.7%	471
Not classified	3,886	5.5%	7.9%	9.0%	578
Full-time students	3,886	5.5%	7.9%	9.0%	578

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	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>47,867</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Work mainly at or from home	3,268	6.8%	7.0%	5.9%	215
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	1,666	3.5%	1.6%	8.5%	301
Bus or coach	785	1.6%	4.7%	7.5%	615
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	34,868	72.8%	68.9%	64.0%	218
Bicycle	1,243	2.6%	3.5%	2.7%	222
On Foot	5,776	12.1%	13.6%	10.6%	180
Other	261	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	436

**Table: Earnings and unemployment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		South West	United Kingdom	
<b>Average earnings of full-time employees</b>	<b>480</b> <sup>1</sup>		<b>96%</b>	<b>92%</b>	400
	Number	% <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Unemployed (out of work benefits)</b>					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	<b>619</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	517
Change over 1 year		-42.7%	-36.3%	-30.0%	598
Change over 4 years		-53.5%	-48.1%	-41.0%	521

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:

14/10 Census 2011 Constituency Results:UK

*Unemployment by Constituency* (monthly)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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